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GHS celebrates champion wrestlers



HARD WORK AND LONG HOURS OF TRAINING PAYS OFF—Four Grayling High School wrestlers traveled to Kalamazoo on Thursday, March 7, to represent themselves and their school in the individual state wrestling championship tournament. Pictured above prior to entering a limousine for a victory parade through Grayling before heading for Kalamazoo are (L to R) juniors Jason Hall and Eddy Davis, GHS Wrestling Coach Don Ferguson, senior Dale Kniss and sophomore Ben Malonen. For the story of their state championship quests, see page 3B.

Photo by Linda Sherwood/Avalanche

Commissioner McLachlan found in conflict by county prosecutor

"If he finds I'm guilty of a conflict of interest, or have violated that code as far as sitting on this chair, I'd be willing to step down." — Commissioner Robert McLachlan Sr. at a Jan. 24, 1995 commission meeting.

By Terry Wright
News Editor

Crawford County Commissioner Robert McLachlan Sr. may be resigning his District #4 seat in the very near future. Possibly, the action could occur at or before the regularly scheduled commission meeting set for Tuesday evening, March 19.

Although he has not confirmed the action to the Avalanche, McLachlan had previously gone on record stating he would resign if he was found to be in conflict of interest. That remark came on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1995, at a commission meeting and was quoted in the Jan. 26, 1995, issue of the Crawford County Avalanche.

Since then, Crawford County Prosecuting Attorney John Huss, the county's highest ranking legal consultant, has determined that McLachlan has violated laws pertaining to conflict of interest 13 times since Jan. 5, 1994, and has said that McLachlan should pay Crawford County \$100 per offense.

In a written opinion to the board of commissioners, Huss wrote, "On Jan. 5, 1994, Commissioner McLachlan made no disclosure of any contractual relationship with City Environmental Services Inc. of Northern Michigan or any entity connected with it."

Huss continued, "In fact, he was in the second year of a contract dated Feb. 9, 1992 (Specifically an 'agreement not to compete') with City Environmental Services Inc. of Northern Michigan, paying Commissioner McLachlan a total of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) over a five year period in quarterly installments of three thousand (\$3,000.00) each."

"In my opinion, that contract should have been disclosed to the Crawford County Board of Commissioners for the reason that the financial relationship existing between Commissioner McLachlan and that corporation placed him in conflict with his interest as a public official as defined aforesaid."

"I would further opine that Commissioner McLachlan violated the 'Interest on Transgressions' statute.... and the 'Neglect or refusal to perform duties' not only in January but on twelve (12) other occasions." (See sidebar article entitled *Twelve more conflicts*)

Huss closed his opinion by stating, "Having violated the aforesaid statutes on thirteen (13) separate occasions, it is my opinion that Commissioner McLachlan should forfeit a total of One Thousand Three Hundred dollars (\$1,300.00) to the County of Crawford."



Robert McLachlan Sr.

Michigan statutory law says if a member of a county board of commissioners neglects or refuses to perform the duties of the office, they must forfeit \$100 for each offense.

Since Huss submitted his opinion to the board, he has said McLachlan could seek a court ruling on the matter before he decides to take any action.

Attempts were made to reach McLachlan, but he failed to reply to an Avalanche telephone message seeking his comments concerning Huss' opinion.

Commission Chairman Bruce Bretzke said he would not ask for McLachlan's resignation if it was not forthcoming, but said, "Mr. McLachlan hasn't discussed the [Huss'] opinion with the board. I have no idea what he will do, but I was at the meeting. I heard him state he would resign if found in conflict."

McLachlan is currently serving his fourth, 2-year term on the Crawford County Board of Commissioners. He was first elected to office in November, Continued on page 2A

Four students arrested on drug warrants

Crawford County Sheriff Dave Lovely, STING officers and department deputies served arrest warrants at 10 a.m. on Monday, March 11 at the Grayling High School. Deputies arrested two male and two female students.

The warrants were generated by an ongoing investigation of the STING narcotics group and all four warrants were two counts each for delivery and manufacture of marijuana, said Detective Rich Meyer of the Crawford County Sheriff Department.

Of the four arrested, two were juveniles and two were 17 years of age and being charged as adults. Each count faces a maximum of four years in prison or a \$2,000 fine. The juveniles are being petitioned in probate court.

Detective Meyer stated that no drugs were confiscated during the arrests and that the arrests did not stem from any school-related selling. The arrests were based on incidents, which occurred within Grayling Township.

"This is part of an ongoing investigation by STING narcotics group and

the Crawford County Sheriff Department focusing on those who traffic narcotics to the children of this community," said Detective Meyer. He indicated that more arrests are expected.

Crawford AuSable School District Superintendent Kent Reynolds said, "The charges and arrests have nothing to do with school. There is no hint of evidence the arrests have anything to do with school."

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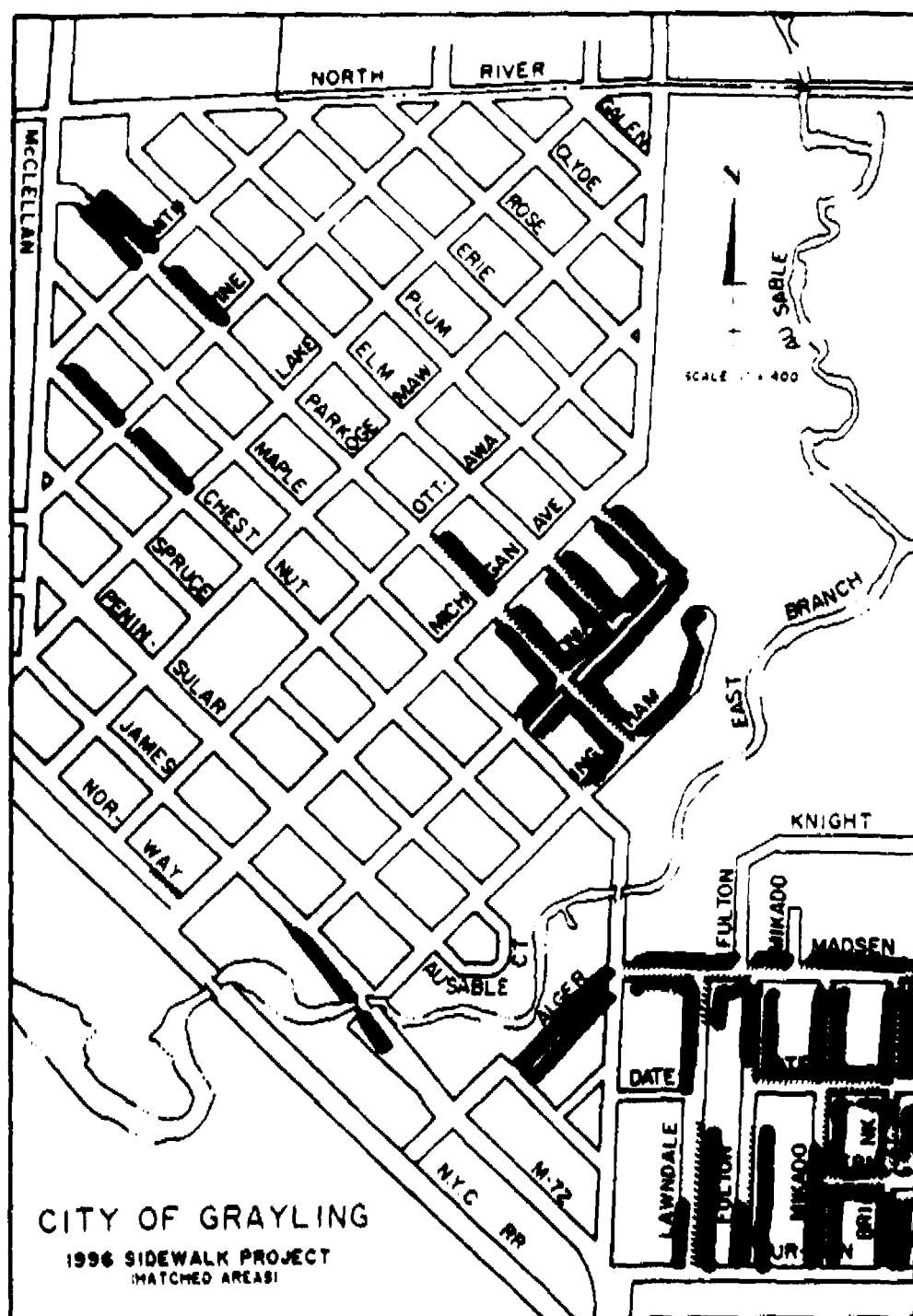
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Democrats to select delegates

Democrats throughout Michigan will caucus on Saturday, March 16, to select delegates to the Democratic National Convention in Chicago. The Michigan Primary on Tuesday, March 19, is for Republican and Independent candidates only.

Crawford County Democrats may participate in the caucus from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Crawford County Courthouse lobby. The caucus is open to all Crawford County voters who are Democrats. Participants should be ready to prove that they are registered to vote, or will be for the Nov. 5 general election.

City of Grayling announces sidewalk construction plan



1996 SUMMER PAVING PROJECT -- The City Council voted to approve the bid of \$229,852 to Hunt Brothers of Tawas for the 1996 sidewalk project. City Manager Jerry Morford said, "Nothing is absolute at this point that we won't change any of those." The construction is primarily concentrated in areas that have high pedestrian traffic.

Twelve more conflicts

On twelve other occasions Crawford County Commissioner Robert McLachlan has violated statutes dealing with conflict of interest according to Crawford County Prosecuting Attorney John Huss. In Huss' written opinion, he stated:

- 1) On Feb. 23, 1994, he voted to schedule a special meeting to allow the special committee on the landfill an opportunity to answer questions.
- 2) On Feb. 28, 1994, he voted to amend the Solid Waste Management Plan.
- 3) On Aug. 10, 1994, he voted on appointments to the Solid Waste Planning Committee.
- 4) On Oct. 19, 1994, he voted to authorize per-diem reimbursement for Solid Waste Planning committee members.
- 5) On Jan. 4, 1995, he made no disclosure.
- 6) On Feb. 21, 1995, he voted on a motion to delay an executive session to discuss an amendment to the CCSW [Crawford County Solid Waste] Management Plan.
- 7-8) On March 21, 1995, he voted to send the Solid Waste Management Planning agreement draft back to City Environmental and to amend the plan by addition of a letter.
- 9) On April 18, 1995, he voted to defer the issue of signing the Solid Waste Amendment.
- 10) On May 2, 1995, he voted on a motion to adopt the County Solid Waste Management Plan Amendment.
- 11) On Sept. 5, 1995, he voted to authorize a Counter Complaint in the matter of CESW [City Environmental Services Inc. of Waters] vs. Crawford County.
- 12) On Dec. 20, 1995, he voted to reject an offer made by CESW."

Engler appoints Murphy to 46th Judicial Circuit

Governor John Engler recently announced the appointment of Dennis Frederick Murphy to the 46th Judicial Circuit Court, which serves the counties of Crawford, Kalamazoo and Oshtemo. Murphy will be filling the vacancy created by the resignation of Judge William A. Porter.

"Dennis Murphy will bring to the circuit court the same high level of legal and administrative skills which he used while serving as the Oshtemo County prosecuting attorney. In addition, Dennis has spent a great deal of time serving the community through civic organizations. I have no doubt that he will serve the community well as the next circuit court judge," Engler said.

Murphy, of Livingston Township, received his bachelor of science degree from Oakland University in 1976, and his juris doctor degree from the Detroit

College of Law in 1980. Upon receiving his law degree, Murphy became an assistant prosecuting attorney in Lapeer County. In 1991, he became the Oshtemo County prosecuting attorney. In 1994, Murphy was a

candidate for the 4th District Court of Appeals judgeship. In 1995, Murphy was in the private practice of law in the Gaylord area, until assuming his current position as an administrator for the Michigan Department of Corrections. Murphy is a member of the State Bar of Michigan, the 46th Circuit Court Bar Association, and is the former director of the Prosecuting Attorney's Association of Michigan, as well as various community volunteer organizations.

Murphy is married to Terry Murphy, and they are the parents of Tim, Dan and Katie.

The gubernatorial appointment extends through the balance of the term, which expires Dec. 31. Murphy will have to run for election in November 1996, in order to serve for a full term.



Judge Dennis Murphy

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McLachlan in violation of conflict of interest laws

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1988, and began serving his first term the following January.

For many of those years, allegations of conflict have marked his service mainly due to his involvement, as the commission's chairman, in the sale of the former Crawford-Osego Landfill to City Management, a Detroit based firm, in December, 1991. Only one week prior to signing the landfill sale agreement, McLachlan had accepted a bid to sell his own refuse hauling

business to the same company.

McLachlan was paid \$660,000 for his trash hauling business, which included the company's assets, routes, a five year consulting contract at \$20,000 per year, and a five-year non-competition covenant at \$12,000 per year.

He disclosed the consulting contract to fellow commissioners in 1992 and 1993, but in 1994, after an early payoff and release from that contract, he failed to disclose the non-

competition agreement, which was still in effect. At that time McLachlan told the commission he was no longer under contract with City Environmental Services.

Shortly before the first of this year, a report from a Michigan State Police investigation surfaced revealing that McLachlan was still receiving money from the non-competition agreement.

At the commission's 1996 organizational meeting, McLachlan disclosed that to be true. That is when the commission asked Huss to make his written determination.

If McLachlan resigns, his departure from the board of commissioners will leave a vacancy which will be filled by appointment by the Crawford County Republican Party.

Commissioners react to McLachlan's conflicts

3rd District Commissioner, Kathy Black

"I was surprised at Huss' opinion and I agree with it. Now that he's been able to show 13 different instances of conflict of interest, McLachlan should now resign.

I've said it before and I'll say it again — he should resign."

5th District Commissioner, Robert Smock Jr.

"McLachlan has violated public trust since the fall of 1991. No one has a right to do the wrong he has done. An honorable man would have resigned the day the landfill was sold."

6th District Commissioner, Chairman Bruce Bretzke

"Mr. McLachlan is an honorable man and he will do the right thing. He has served his district and his community well. I believe he stumbled in a very complicated situation, but I will never believe that he knowingly did anything wrong. Rather than casting the first stone of condemnation for past errors. If he resigns, I will applaud him for now putting the future of county government back in the sunshine. He can hold his head high, and I wish him well."

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Tape of resignation statement missing from county records

On Wednesday, March 6, Grayling resident David Kneff went to the Crawford County Courthouse and asked to listen to the tape of the county board of commissioner's meeting of Jan. 24, 1995. Kneff said he wanted to hear Commissioner Robert McLachlan's pledge to "step down" from the board if found to have a conflict of interest.

The first 90 minutes of that board meeting filled an entire tape. The balance of the meeting, including McLachlan's remarks on resignation, should have been on the second tape....but there was no second tape.

Kneff immediately went to Commission Chairman Bruce Bretzke, who happened to be in the courthouse at the time. Bretzke notified the county sheriff department, who confiscated all of the commission tapes and began an investigation into possible tampering with official county documentation.

Bretzke and County Clerk Sandra Moore did find the original longhand minutes of the meeting written by former Clerk Elizabeth Wieland, which spells out McLachlan's promise to resign if found in conflict.

"There can be no question as to the validity of official county records," Bretzke said. "If we are to have an open and honest government, it is essential that those tapes be available to the public. I thought the only proper thing to do was to turn it over to the sheriff department."

Abraham receives 100 percent attendance award

Spencer Abraham (R-Michigan) recently received special recognition by the United States Senate for having just completed his first year as Michigan's freshman Senator with a perfect attendance record. Abraham accepted a framed certificate of his attendance report from Senator Strom Thurmond, the president pro tempore of the Senate.

"Just like Cal Ripken played every game, Senator Abraham made every vote in the Senate," Senator Thurmond said. "He's the Cal Ripken of the Senate."

Abraham said he was just doing his job. "During my campaign, I pledged to the voters of Michigan to end business as usual, and I'm working hard to keep the promises we made to balance the budget, cut taxes, save Medicare and reform welfare," Abraham said. "We've had one of the busiest legislative years in history, and I'm proud to have cast Michigan's vote on every vote," he said.

The Senate had 613 votes in 1995, twice as many as the 329 total votes in 1994. Abraham is the only freshman Senator and one of four Senators to have a 100 percent attendance record.

BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

Matthew Vajda of Traverse City, was one of the competitors in the annual American Birkebeiner cross-country ski race held on Feb. 24, in Hayward, Wisconsin. We'd like to congratulate Matt for coming in 159th out of a field of almost 8,000 racers. The race has grown from a small one to an international one, in which people from all over compete. Matt is the son of Liz and Charlie Vajda of Grayling.

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On the issues...

Pat Buchanan

America First.

We need a new foreign policy that ends foreign aid, and pulls up all the trip wires laid down abroad to involve American soldiers in wars that are none of America's business. And we need to demand that rich allies begin paying the full cost of their defense.

Economic Nationalism.

Rather than making "global free trade" a golden calf which we all bow down to, and worship, all trade deals should be judged by whether: a) they maintain U.S. sovereignty, b) they protect vital economic interests, and c) they ensure a rising standard of living for all our workers. We must stop sacrificing American jobs on the altars of transnational corporations whose sole loyalty is to the bottom line.

Restoring Freedom.

American society is over-regulated, overtaxed, over-burdened - by government. We need tax cuts across the board, and an end to the bias in the tax code against investment and saving. The IRS needs to be down-sized. And any Balance Budget Amendment must have a tax limitation provision, so politicians cannot use it to raise the government's share of the people's income.

Restoring the 10th.

Many functions of the federal government are, de facto, unconstitutional, wholesale violations of the Tenth Amendment that reserves such powers to the states. The federal government should be cut, with Cabinet departments abolished, the money they spend returned to citizens, the duties they assumed returned to the states.



Judicial Reform.

Supreme Court Justices and federal judges have grabbed more power, far more, than the Constitution intended. We should strip that power away through judicial term limits, voter recall of renegade federal jurists, and reconfirmation of Supreme Court Justices every eight years.

Immigration Control.

Illegal immigration must be halted, and no illegal alien given welfare. We need a nationwide Proposition 187, a closing of the southwest border to illegals (with the National Guard, if necessary) and a new immigration law where we Americans decide who comes and when. Our first concern must be the peace, stability and unity of our own country.

Equal Justice Under Law.

Reverse discrimination - by quota, contract set-aside, busing, affirmative action - is un-American. We need to outlaw the federal classification of American citizens by race or ethnicity, and end all discrimination and all preferential treatment.

Traditional Values.

We must reverse Roe vs. Wade, persevere in the fight for life and restore to citizens their Second Amendment rights and the freedom to clean up the cultural pollution poisoning the hearts and minds of our children. The presidency must become a bully pulpit for traditional values, not gays in the military. We will keep the Republican Party solidly in the pro-life camp, and get the U.S. government completely out of the abortion racket.

The Culture War.

All federally funded institutions, from the Smithsonian to the National Endowment for the Arts, will manifest a respect for America's history and values; and all monuments, battlefields and symbols of America's glorious, if sometimes tragic, history will be protected.

Parental Control of Education.

Parents everywhere are fighting for the hearts and minds of their own children. We must shut down the Department of Education and return authority to the states, and to the people.

Re-inventing Constitutionalism.

In questions of power, said Jefferson, let us hear no more of trust in men, but rather, bind them down from mischief with the chains of the Constitution. We need term limits on all members of Congress, and all our federal judges.

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COMMUNITY NEWS BRIEFS

Free camp for the blind

Blind residents of central and northern Michigan are encouraged to attend the National Camps for Blind Children (NCBC) program at Camp AuSable in Grayling, the week of July 14-21. The camp is free to totally or partially-blind people ages nine and up.

Activities include horseback riding, swimming, canoeing and archery. The camp is designed to promote self-confidence, self-esteem and people skills. Food, lodging and activities for the week are paid for by National

Camps for Blind Children. The camper is responsible only for transportation (to and from the camp) and a \$25 registration fee.

Anyone interested in attending can call NCBC representative Dan Paepke in the evening at (616) 636-8764 for more information and a camp application form. For information on camping programs in other states, call the NCBC office at (402) 488-0981. Office hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Central Standard Time, Monday through Thursday.

Former resident to present at national conference

Angela Larson, a 1988 graduate of Grayling High School, and 1992 graduate of Western Michigan University, will be presenting a workshop in the technology lab on Alternate Access to Interactive Telecommunications, at the 76th annual conference and exposition of the American Occupational Therapy Association, Inc. (AOTA), Friday, April 19 through Tuesday, April 23, in Chicago, Illinois.

Larson is currently working in the Lansing area as an occupational

therapy consultant for the Living and Learning Resource Centre (LLRC) and Clinton-Eaton-Ingham Community Mental Health—Community Services for the Developmentally Disabled. Larson was one of approximately 48 speakers chosen to make a presentation at this year's conference. Over 7,000 therapists and other health professionals from across the United States are expected to attend.

Larson is the daughter of Jerry and Jane Larson of Grayling.

State tax forms available

1995 home heating and prescription drug credit claim forms are available free for northern Michigan residents, state Rep. Allen Lowe, R-Grayling, announced recently.

Form 107 can be obtained by contacting the state treasury at 1-800-FORM2ME. Copies of the credit forms are also available to individuals using

fax machines through the state treasury's Fax-on-Demand program, which can be reached at (810) 754-0362.

Residents also can get copies by writing Lowe at the State Capitol, P.O. Box 30014, Lansing, MI 48909, or by calling his office at (517) 373-0829.

Crawford County Sheriff Department



Sheriff Patrol

By Linda Sherwood

For the week of March 4-11

The Crawford County Sheriff Department responded to 80 incidents during the week of Monday, March 4 to Monday, March 11.

On Wednesday, March 6, deputies concluded a two week long investigation with the execution of a search warrant on a Grayling Township home. Once in the residence, deputies found guns and property stolen in two different burglaries. The guns and property were seized and a Grayling Township man has been arrested for home invasion. The recovered property is valued in excess of \$1,000. The man's name is being held pending arraignment.

Automobile accidents were down during the week with only 11 being reported. Eight of those accidents involved deer. There were two reports of malicious destruction of property, both involved tires being slashed. The first incident occurred on Thursday, March 7 on Alexia Lane. The second incident was reported on Friday, March 8 at Grayling High School. The vehicle at the high school belonged to an employee of the school.

Deputies were able to recover a stolen vehicle on Thursday, March 7. Another stolen vehicle was recovered on Saturday, March 9. The vehicle, a 1988 Yamaha 350 4-wheeler was being driven by a 13-year-old runaway from Roscommon County. The runaway was turned over to probate court. A snowmobile was reported stolen from the Grayling Holiday Inn's parking lot on Sunday, March 10 at around 9:30 a.m.

On Wednesday, March 6 at approximately 6 p.m., a caller reported a 5-year-old girl showed up at the caller's door. Deputies identified the girl and was able to determine that she belonged down the road. After receiving no answer at the girl's residence, the girl was turned over to her aunt.

On Monday, March 4, a family dispute was reported. The caller said two men were at his girlfriend's house and were slapping her around, according to the sheriff report. The caller identified one of the men as his girlfriend's ex-husband. The caller was told by the two men to get out of the home and that they had a new gun. The caller did not see a gun, it was only talked about. According to department record's, the ex-husband had received a permit to purchase a gun that same day from the Crawford County Sheriff Department. There were five other incidents involving family trouble, one assault and one invasion of privacy complaint during the week.

On Friday, March 8, a resident on Brighton Circle North reported someone had tried to break-in to the resident's van. The vehicle's alarm went off, waking up the resident and scaring off the intruder. There wasn't any damage to the van during the incident.

The Crawford County Road Commission reported a suspicious situation on McCormick Road at 9:40 a.m. on Wednesday, March 6. An uninhabited residence had an open door and fresh snowmobile tracks in the area. Deputies found that entry was not forced. The deputy speculated that possibly the last person leaving the building failed to shut the door properly.

Deputies investigated a charge of fraud on Friday, March 8. A man claimed he had purchased a truck from a private party, paying cash. The seller failed to deliver the vehicle's title and then sold the truck to someone else.

The department also investigated five public peace disturbances, one embezzlement complaint, one burglary, five operating a vehicle under the influence of liquor, which resulted in three drivers being lodged.

Information for Sheriff Patrol is obtained from the records and deputy statements of the Crawford County Sheriff Department.

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Kirtland announces new honors scholarship

Kirtland Community College and the Kirtland Honors Program are pleased to announce the availability of a new \$4,000 scholarship award. The Otto and Martha Krauss Honors Scholarship will be awarded to a deserving student in the Kirtland Honors Program, the college's academic program for students of high ability and high academic standings.

The scholarship is the result of a donation from Dr. and Mrs. Otto Krauss of Higgins Lake. "Dr. and Mrs. Krauss are long-time supporters of the college, and they have been especially encouraging of the honors program and its mission," said Frederic Giacobazzi, honors program coordinator.

Selection criteria for the Krauss Scholarship will include academic excellence; extra-curricular, community, or volunteer service activities; and awards, honors, or other recognition. The scholarship will provide a deserving student with \$1,000 per semester for four semesters of study to cover tuition, books and other expenses. Selection will be competitive. One student will be named to receive the award for the 1996-97 academic year from those who apply. Dr. Dorothy Franke, Kirtland's president, will join the

Kirtland scholarship committee in selecting the winner.

Applications are being accepted from now until April 8, for the Krauss Scholarship. Both newly-admitted and continuing honors program students are eligible. To be considered applicants must apply for or be admitted to the Kirtland honors program; complete a standard Kirtland scholarship application; provide two letters of recommendation for the award, at least one from a faculty member or (for new students) a high-school counselor; and write a supporting essay.

Giacobazzi said, "Dr. and Mrs. Otto Krauss wish to create a very generous scholarship which rewards academic excellence, and which will enable a high-ability student to pursue his or her studies without financial worry. Their aim is to make the Krauss Scholarship a 'crown jewel' award, and they have succeeded beyond our fondest hopes."

Additional information about the Otto and Martha Krauss Honors Scholarship and the Kirtland Honors Program, can be obtained from the Honors Program Office, Kirtland Community College, 10775 N. St. Helen Road, Roscommon, MI 48653. (517) 275-5121, ext. 359.

KCC instructor listed in Who's Who

A few weeks ago, Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois, which publishes *Who's Who Among America's Teachers* notified Jim Backlund, instructor of Psychology and Sociology at Kirtland Community College, that he has been selected to appear in its 1996 edition.

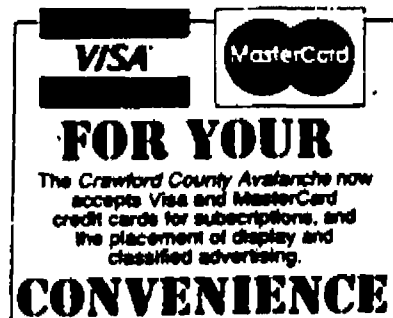
The honor is quite unique, since only high school and college students who have been cited for academic excellence themselves, in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, or *The National Dean's List* respectively, are invited to nominate one teacher from their entire academic experience.

Backlund was nominated by Gerald E. Jackson, a student who he recalls, took Introduction to Psychology and Lifespan Developmental Psychology classes from him in 1992 and 1993. Backlund, who lives in Gaylord, has been teaching at Kirtland since 1988. He said he's not sure where Jackson is attending school right now, but he intends to find out.

"This is quite an honor," said Backlund, "I was really surprised and I'd really like to thank Gerald for nominating me."

Who's Who honors a select 5 percent of our nation's teachers. The book is distributed to school boards, regents, educational organizations and libraries throughout the country.

All principles, college presidents, and newspapers will be notified of the teachers in their institutions and cities selected for the award.



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ISSUES AND OPINIONS



ALMANACK By Richard Milliman

Maybe they have to work too hard

TIME ONCE MORE for one of our infrequent strolls barefoot among the poipourri...

THE HEAVY load of retirements from the U.S. House and Senate this year has prompted all sorts of explanations.

Some retiring members want to try something else, some admittedly are tired of the rat race, some blame a lack of civility, others a political void.

Michigan's Rep. Dick Chrysler, one of Speaker Newt Gingrich's fervid freshman force, is a bit more crass in his analysis.

During a recent visit to his district,

he allowed that some of the family and career-based explanations probably were accurate.

But he claimed that behind most Democrat departures is the simple truth that they don't like being in the minority after all these years.

As for dropout Republicans, in Mr. Chrysler's view, many just don't want to work as hard as being in the majority demands—at least, the Gingrich majority.

Democrats conceivably could turn the political tables in this year's election, and Mr. Chrysler's seat—strongly challenged by veteran Democratic campaigner Debbie Stabenow of Lansing—is right at the center of the struggle.

NEW NAME—Residents of Michigan long have been split into two camps on the question of what to call someone who lives here.

Should it be "Michigander" or should it be "Michiganian?"

Personally I have always opted for Michiganian. To me, Michigander sounds too much like a native breed of water fowl.

Now comes Lori Montgomery, Washington staff correspondent for *The Detroit Free Press*, with a new entry.

In a recent dispatch, Ms. Montgomery referred to Gov. John Engler as "another Michigander."

Well, that's better than Michigander.

It's sort of a compromise between Michigander and Michiganian.

With such a sense of finding middle ground, maybe we should get Ms. Montgomery involved in trying to settle budget disputes and other conflicts between the Congress and the White House.

ADMISSION—Finally a prominent air personality has admitted a fact that most of us pad-and-pencil reporters have known for a long time.

Tim Skubick bills himself as senior capital correspondent in Lansing. He does a bunch of radio and television shows for Michigan State University's WKAR and a handful of other PBS and commercial radio and TV outlets in the state.

Mr. Skubick also writes a weekly opinion piece in *The Lansing State Journal*.

A recent offering dealt with the differences between air and print.

"The rather harsh reality here," opined Mr. Skubick, "is that once the tube news fades into the ether, content goes with it. The problem with this newspaper thing is people can study it, reread it, and call you to ask if you miss the mark."

Sure, Tim. Some of us have known that for a long time. Thanks for helping clear the air, so to speak, with readers.

Now, if you will just carry that message to advertisers, too...

PROPHET OF DOOM—Usually upbeat, Speaker Newt Gingrich may have been having a down time on a recent visit to Michigan. Listen to the following Gingrich quote (taken from *The Detroit Free Press*):

"Whether or not the American people have the courage and the will, and can find the leadership to renew and reinvigorate our civilization, is the central question of what will happen to the human race in the next century."

"If we fail to renew ourselves, then I think freedom will in fact diminish on the planet and we will live on a dark and bloody planet indeed by the time of our children and grandchildren."

Those are dire thoughts indeed. If he's right—which, in itself is debatable—then who occupies a more appropriate spot than Mr. Gingrich to do something about it. That should be one of his primary assignments.

Let's hope he's up to the task.

Richard Milliman is a veteran newspaperman and a contributing columnist to several Michigan newspapers.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

COA board doesn't speak for all seniors

To the editor,
I am writing about the article in the Feb. 29 issue of the *Avalanche*, concerning the termination of the COA director.

The chairperson of the COA board made the statement that the programs and services at the center would be for all the seniors. I do not believe that any senior had been denied any access to any of the services or programs made available to them.

The programs and services are there and all they have to do is take advantage of them.

I believe that a majority, not a minority, of seniors were taking advantage of them.

The COA chairperson also made the statement that the programs would continue whether they had a director or not. If so, then why did she feel she had to appoint an acting director, or did she mean the board would make all the decisions with or without a director, which I feel is the way the board has conducted themselves in the past, and continues to do so.

I don't feel the COA chairperson can speak for all the seniors about making the center a place to be proud of again. I feel that 100 plus seniors expressed themselves very well how they felt about their center, when they signed a petition to keep their director, because they were very proud and well satisfied in the way their center has been run.

Why doesn't the COA chairperson ask the seniors how they feel? We don't need the COA board to talk for us, we are not senile. We have thoughts and feelings too, but this is not how the COA board perceives us.

We have been told what goes on concerning the board is none of our business.

I beg to disagree, this is the center for seniors, and we have a right and an obligation to other seniors to be able to have our input concerning what benefits us.

We feel the COA board has lost touch with seniors they are supposed to be representing.

Elouise Mize,
Grayling

Taxpayers don't deserve to be jerked around on airport issue

To the editor,

Dr. Bersted's earlier letter appearing here, rightly supports private and commercial aviation. Although I'm not an aviator, I have much respect for those who persevere through all the red tape, government regulations and various licensing fees. They, as a subgroup of taxpayers, do not deserve to be jerked around further in political winds blowing in local government. Our National Guard has pressured local folks, many on fixed incomes, to pay for runway snow removal and other related services on an airport owned by the huge Department of Defense, formerly the Department of War.

The generals, each time they put the pressure on the county, claim that they don't have money, equipment nor manpower to remove snow. They said this to us at the same time billions were expended to save the oil emir of Kuwait. They hint it now as plane loads of state-of-the-art equipment in

bomb detection, technicians and funding (U.S. tax dollars) land in Tel Aviv. Did they ask the local Bosnians to remove the snow from the runways before they would land there?

All across the U.S. there are joint use (military/commercial) airports. The best solution, both long- and short-term) is for the generals to contract through public bidding with any new or existing and bonded corporations, to operate this (McNamara Airport has a very long runway), multi-use facility. There are many pleasure and commercial operations, who obviously are not adverse to risk. Please stop cutting them out of the formula. Let the bidding be open and competitive, and leave room for new business start-ups. I'm sure there are many Wright brothers and sisters in our colleges and schools now. Please let God, not politicians, be their co-pilot.

Joseph Callewert,
Grayling

Visitors appreciate Hanson Hills

To the editor,

This is an open letter to all the residents of Crawford County, to say a big "thank you" for letting us use your great facilities at Hanson Hills ski area this winter. It was not a problem for our family to drive three hours to come here every Sunday to ski. The prices that are charged made it well worthwhile, along with your first-rate staff. We felt welcome and accepted, not like we were from down state. It is really refreshing to find a ski area like this.

We would also like to thank the good people at the Grayling State Bank for sponsoring the race clinic, of which the ski area manager told us about and

invited our son to join. The adults that ran the clinic every weekend made it very exciting to attend.

We understand that it is your tax dollars with which the area is run. We would just like to say that we hope you will continue to support this area in the future. It is well worth your money. We hope that we have been able to return some of your investment with the money we have spent in the area. It is great to see that this winter sport can still be enjoyed at nice, great places like Hanson Hills, by families like ours.

Joe, Emilee, Amanda
and Derek Quick,
Holly, Michigan

JIM FITZGERALD

Loose nuts start world unraveling

When I was 14 years old, I deeply dented the left front fender of my father's car while driving it out of an auto repair shop where a lesser dent had just been bumped out of the same fender. I figured that in the category of embarrassing car accidents, rapid repeat division, I'd just set a personal aggravation record that would stand unchallenged forever.

I figured wrong.

Around 51 years later, on July 22, 1992, a low tire needed attention. I left my car at a repair shop half a block from my office in downtown Detroit. A few hours later, I picked it up, exchanging \$15 for the chief mechanic's assurance that my car was ready to roll.

About five seconds after I rolled out of the shop, the left front wheel left my car and the axle smashed into the pavement with a grinding, sickening sound. The wheel rolled across the busy street and onto the sidewalk where it hit a mailman.

He wasn't injured, and he kindly delivered the wheel to me, without a stamp.

The big payback?

I leaned the wheel against the lurching car and angrily began striding toward the repair shop, while at the same time rehearsing profanity. But then I stopped and thought: What if someone steals the loose wheel while I'm gone? That would add outrage to anger.

So I returned and locked the wheel in the back seat. Later, when I described my horrible experience to my wife,

anguished detail by anguished detail, she expressed her sympathy by asking: "Why did you put the wheel in the back seat? It probably damaged the leather. Why didn't you put it in the trunk?"

I told her I didn't know why I put the wheel in the back seat. I also told her I didn't know why I got married.

Anyway, when I reached the shop, the chief mechanic said another mechanic must have forgotten to tighten the lug nuts after putting the wheel back on my car. That was a big surprise.

I thought my wheel came off because, up in heaven, my father had persuaded God to help him get even with me for denting his just-repaired fender in the bump shop parking lot in 1941.

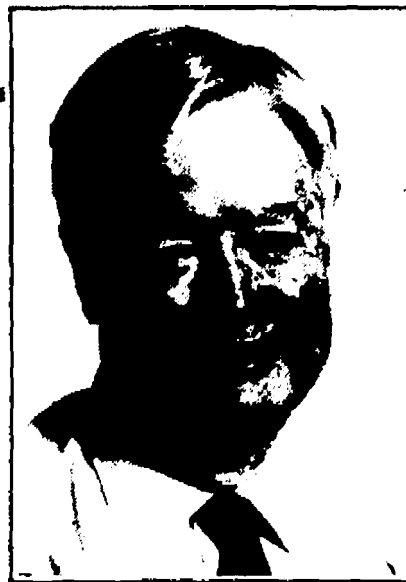
The head mechanic said the lug nuts came off with the wheel, of course. Had I searched for and found them in the street, in heavy traffic, and put them in the back seat with the wheel? No, for shame, I hadn't.

I wondered if I should apologize.

My fender, suddenly left with no wheel, was damaged to the tune of \$846. The head mechanic said his shop doesn't cure bumps, only creates them. But his insurance would cover the repair costs at whatever bump shop I chose. With customary wisdom, I chose a shop that had to send to Mars for parts. It was two weeks before I got my car back.

All downhill

It should be added that I got my



hands dirty putting the wheel in the back seat instead of the trunk. And when I finally got home that day, I was embarrassed to look in the mirror and discover I'd transferred the dirt to my face. I looked like I'd been mud wrestling and lost. I badly needed a shower.

Except the water in my apartment building was turned off for repairs.

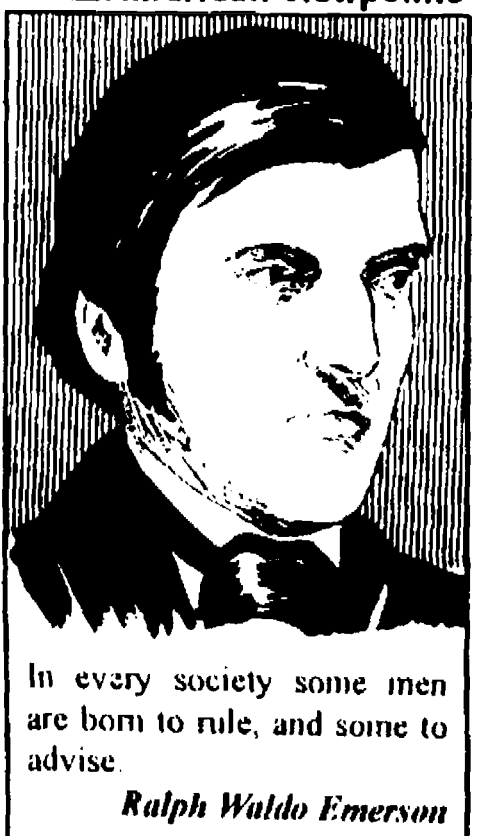
This is being written on someone else's computer because mine is broken. My phone doesn't work. I went to the bathroom and couldn't flush. No water again. No wash, no drink. The IRS is auditing my 1990 income tax return.

Don't bother to send condolences; they'll arrive too late. As soon as my phone is fixed, I'm making an appointment with Dr. Jack Kevorkian.

Courthouse Square

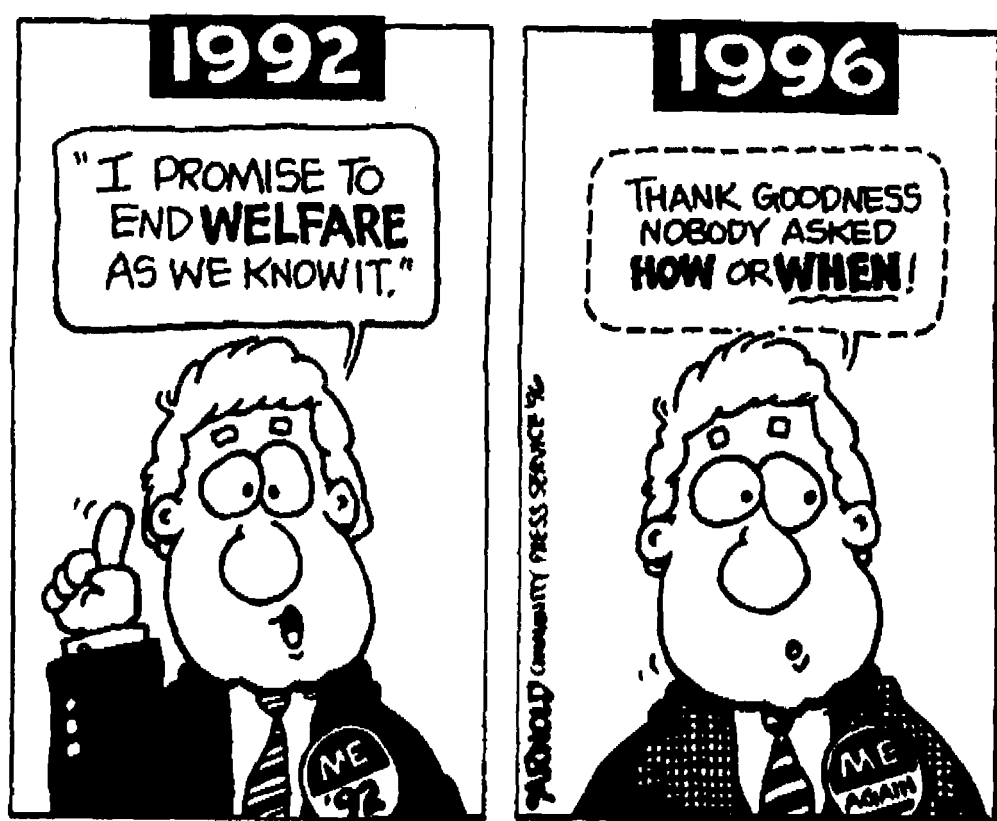


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In every society some men are born to rule, and some to advise.

Ralph Waldo Emerson



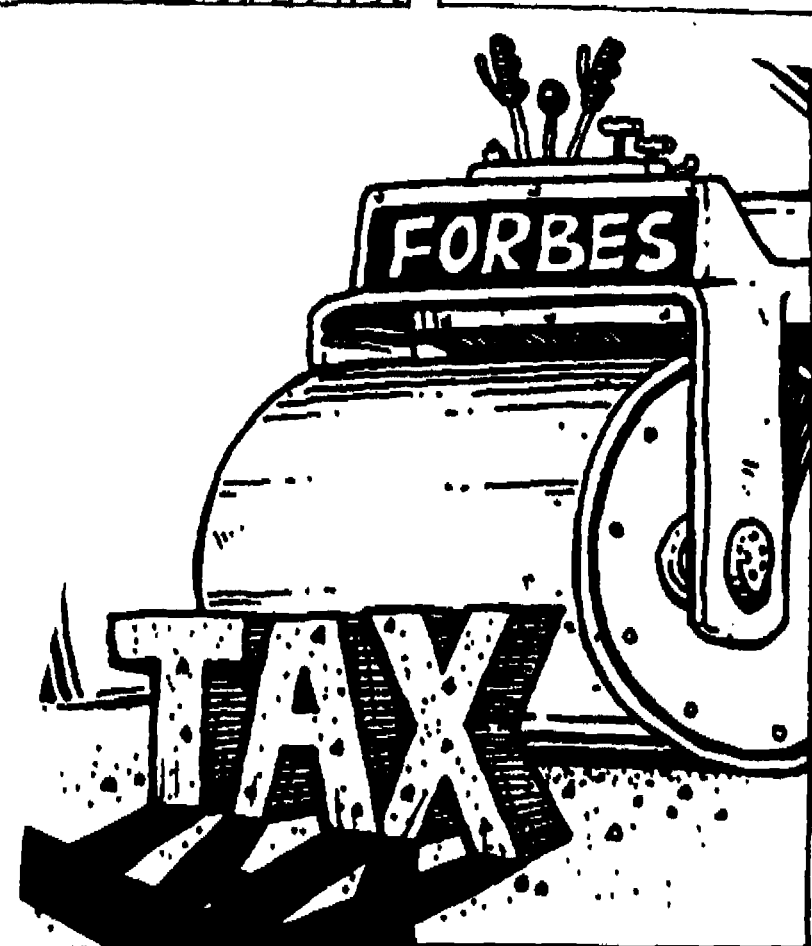
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Heather Curtis, writes from Holland

Beste Avalanche lezers,
 Hoi! Sorry it's been so long, but I've been very busy. I'll give you an update since the beginning of 1996. For "oud en nieuw" (New Year's), I went to a party by Germany. There were about 10 YFU students there, it was very fun. We were gone for 36 hours.

On Saturday, the 7th, we went to the van der Bruggen's family New Year's party in Vught. Just about everybody from my host dad's family (more than 50 people) were stuffed into a tiny cafe for about four hours. It was nice to meet his family.

On Friday the 12th of January, Grier came with me and my host family and two cousins to Belgium, to the Center Parks. It is a sort of vacation/amusement park. We stayed there until Sunday evening. It was very fun and a nice get-away. On the 21st, our district of YFU held its New Year's party. It was held in Kaatsheuvel. It was nice because I got to see some of my YFU friends.

Wednesday, the 24th, began the second exam week, so I was busy studying. The week of Feb. 12, 13 of my classes were cancelled, so it was a fairly small week for school.

On Sunday, Feb. 18, I went to Annemiek Bakker's house in Sint-Oedenrode, to celebrate Carnaval—a

5-day celebration similar to Halloween, except people just dress up and act crazy, no trick-or-treating. It was amazing.

Monday afternoon, I left Den Dungen with the train and headed to Hook of Holland, to catch the boat to Harwich, England. This began the YFU London trip with all the international students staying in the Netherlands, French Belgium and Flemish Belgium. After the eight hours on the boat, we were delayed in Harwich for three hours on Tuesday, because they got snow and are not used to it, so the bus drivers didn't feel safe driving in it. We arrived in London Tuesday afternoon and walked to Oxford Street and through Soho. We stayed at the 2-star Regent Palace Hotel on Piccadilly Circus (yes, where the IRA was bombing). I had a really nice roommate, she comes from Australia, and is staying in Flemish Belgium this year. Her name is Natacha Hes. Tuesday night, we went to the musical *Buddy*, which is the Buddy Holly story.

Wednesday we roamed through Westminster (a district of London) and got to see Green Park, Buckingham Palace, St. James' Park, the Cabinet War Rooms (where Churchill stayed and worked during the second World

War), Trafalgar Square, the Banqueting House, Big Ben, Clock Tower, Houses of Parliament and Westminster Abbey (to name a few things). We saw the Changing of the Horse Guard. I commented on how cute the guards were in their uniform, and a security guard acted offended and lectured me. That night, we went to the *Drury Lane Theatre* to see *Miss Saigon*. I thought both musicals were wonderful.

On Thursday, we walked the Kensington (another district of London) route. First we went to the National Gallery and then took the bus to Kensington. We went to Harrod's and the Science Museum. It was a very busy day. For lunch I had real English food: fish and chips. Thursday evening, we were free to do whatever we wanted. I went to Covent Gardens and the Dr. Marten store with Justin Wright (from America). Later that night, I went to the Hard Rock Cafe with Marialba Cabreara (from Venezuela) and Hanne Skarsvaag (from Norway), and yet later, I went with a group of Latinos and five other students, walking around Westminster from disco to disco.

Friday, we went to the City, the oldest part of London. We saw Tower Hill, the Tower of London, the Tower Bridge, Katherine Docks (Dead Man's

End), the Tower Pageant Hill (which tells the history of London), the All Hallows Church (the oldest church in London), the Bank of England and its museum, the Guildhall and St. Paul's Cathedral (where Charles and Di were married), and some other things.

Friday evening, we left London on buses to go back to Harwich to catch the night boat back to Hook of Holland. The boat pilots said the trip from Hook of Holland to Harwich was the worst ever, because of the terrible weather. Most of the people on the boat (but not me) got seasickness.

Starting Tuesday the 20th, I was sick due to my allergies, but beginning Saturday, I began getting really sick. I was so sick that Lies (my host mom) took me to the doctor. It was only a very bad virus, and now I'm getting better. I didn't go to school the whole week (the 26th-1st).

I'll try to write a couple more times before I come back, which right now is set at July 9. Finally, I'd like to congratulate the 1995 SAGA staff for winning a Spartan Award (the highest) from MIPA and a Buckeye Award from GLIPA. Good job! Groetjes. Doe!

Heather

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DOODLES FROM THE TALL TIMBER

By Wendell L. Hoover, Park Interpreter, North Higgins Lake State Park

This week's column is dedicated to Rod Denley, friend, fellow bushranger and King of Kirkwood. (Kirkwood is a township north of Thessalon, Ontario, Canada.)

In a day when wind provided the power for the ships of commerce or war, and wood was the material of choice, the forest of North America attracted the shipwrights and the square timbermen. The production of squared timbers and board timbers was an exacting job demanding the skills of the most experienced axemen. To produce a squared timber, without the benefit of a sawmill, required the ultimate skill of the axeman, along with a superior knowledge of timber.

A square-timber crew was usually composed of five men: a hewer, a scorer, a rosser, a liner and a faller. The hewer's job was to finish off the stick with such perfection that the hewn surfaces were as true as a sawn surface. There were those hewers who were said to be so skillful with a broadaxe, that you could scarcely raise a sliver

when they were finished. A hewing ax or broadaxe was no play thing, it took two strong hands and a keen eye to wield an axe that could weigh 15 pounds, with a cutting edge a foot to 16 inches long.

The selection of the tree was the first step, since it had to be large, straight, sound and limb-free. In some instances, a bed was prepared for the tree to fall into, and the faller's job was to place the tree in that bed without damage. With the tree on the ground, the length of the timber was marked and sawn off. At this point, the rosser removed four strips of board from the timber, and the liner stretched his chalk line from end to end along the rossed area. The chalk line, with a metal hook on one end, was attached to the butt of the timber, stretched tight and held by the faller. The liner drew the line up in the middle and when it was released it made a straight line the full length of the timber. This process was repeated on the opposite side.

The scorer then stepped in with his

narrow straight-bladed scoring axe, to chop deeply into the lateral face of the timber, at intervals of about 10 inches. It required a feel for the wood and axe not to cut too deeply, as scoring was done almost up to the chalked line. The objective was to produce a timber which was free of blemishes. When the process reached this stage, it was up to the artist on the crew, the hewer, to hew the rough face straight and smooth from end to end with his broadaxe.

A broadaxe has a flat side that goes against the timber to create the desired flat, smooth surface. The cutting edge was carefully honed to razor sharpness, to utilize to full advantage the weight of the ax, whether it was swung horizontally, straight downward or at an angle. The handle of a broadaxe was either bent or swayed away from the face of the timber to protect the hands of the hewer, and how much offset there was between handle and the flat side of the axe was dependent upon the hewer's preference. Next week, more on square timbers.

Garden club to feature basket making

Beyond the Garden Wall Club of Grayling, will have a real treat at the March 21 meeting, when members observe Betsy Berry's creative hands at work, demonstrating the construction of a moss basket. Berry, who worked for 26 years at the Grayling A & P as head cashier and bookkeeper, shifted gears and decided to do something different with her life. Working with her son John at Circle B Landscaping, she eventually received a certification through MSU as an advanced master gardener. With six years of experience under her belt, she opened her own year-round nursery last year, called Twigs and Blooms, by Circle B on Old-27 in Gaylord.

"I love working with people," Berry said, and her infectious smile and enthusiasm shows it as she assists customers in selecting flowers, ground covers, decorative wreaths and specialty items of her own design. Berry is also very helpful in sharing information so that her customers will have a good success rate with their plantings. The garden club meets at St. Mary's Learning Center on Thursday, March 21, at 6:30 p.m. Guests are always welcome.

The agenda for the April meeting will be focused on starting plants from seeds. Program coordinator, Kathy Prause, asks that members bring in seed and flower catalogs so members can share orders to keep costs down on shipping and handling.

Those attending the February

meeting, received a Norfolk Island pine seedling and were treated to a lemon-flavored cake scented with geraniums. Speaker Teresa Esselmacher spoke on the care and feeding of indoor plants, and the club had a drawing for the plants supplied for the discussion.

Blood drive exceeds donor goal

At the Red Cross Blood Drive March 6, there were 108 donors, with four people donating for the first time. Their goal was 90, so they did a great job.

Looking back to the Jan. 3 blood drive, these people received gallon pins: Daniel Fairgrieve, one gallon; Rene Trudgeon, Tim Gildner and Michelle Phillips, three gallons; Bruce Schroeder, five gallons; John Kapets, seven gallons; and Kirtland Kitchen, eight gallons.

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FRI. 15	• GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOCIATION "Pictionary" @ the Knights of Columbus Hall, 7:30 pm.
SAT. 16	• FOUR MORE DAYS TIL SPRING?!
SUN. 17	• HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY! • ATTEND THE CHURCH of your choice today. • COA POTLUCK, 4 pm. Bring a dish to pass and tableware.
MON. 18	• WELLINGTON FARM CITIZEN'S advisory board meeting. • SCHOOL BOARD MEETING @ MS conference room, 7 pm. • AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED PERSONS meeting @ COA office, 1:30 pm. • KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10 pm. Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel.
TUES. 19	• FREDERIC ELEMENTARY 4th grade music program, 7 pm. • GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOCIATION luncheon meeting @ noon, Iron Gate Restaurant. • AUSABLE RIVER CANOE MARATHON meeting @ Mini Mall Race office, 7 pm. • AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION dinner meeting @ 6:30 pm. Call Margaret @ 348-6481 for more information. New members welcome.
WED. 20	• HS PLAY @ auditorium, 7:30 pm. • ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel, 12 noon. • WEIGHT WATCHER'S meeting @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 W., weigh-in 4:45; meeting 5:30 pm. For more information call Sandy @ 348-5321. • COA BOARD MEETING @ senior citizen center, 5:30 pm. • GRAYLING RECREATION AUTHORITY meeting @ Hanson Hills, 5 pm. • LIONS CLUB MEETING @ Breaker's Steak House, 6:30 pm.

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Linda DeMarchis, M.A., Health Educator

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Question: Can you discuss airbags in cars and child safety seats. It is true that this is a problem?

Signed: Toddler's Mom

Answer: The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration is attempting to educate the public about a problem that has caused recent injuries to children and infants. Most new cars have airbags for the front seat passengers. These work well to protect older children and adults, if they are used with lap and shoulder belts. Airbags do not work with rear-facing child seats used for infants. This is because in a crash, the airbag inflates quickly. It could hit anything close to the dashboard with enough impact to cause severe injury or even death. Since the back of an infant seat sits close to the dash, it could be struck

with a great deal of force, which could cause serious or fatal injuries to the baby. Even older children who are not restrained with a lap/shoulder belt properly fastened are at risk of injury from an inflating airbag as they are thrown toward the dash during emergency braking.

What should you do to completely protect your children while riding in the car?

•The rear seat is the safest place for children of any age to ride.
•An infant in a rear-facing child seat must ride in the back seat if your vehicle has a passenger-side airbag. (This applies to infants under 1 year and under 20 pounds who must always ride in this type of seat.)

•Make sure everyone in the front seat is buckled up and seated as far back from the airbag as is reasonably possible.

•Make sure that all young children are properly secured in a child safety seat and older children with a lap/shoulder belt.

For more information on child safety seats and other auto safety topics call the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration hotline at 1-800-424-9393.

YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

Disabled? Cash benefits while you work

If you are receiving Social Security disability insurance benefits or disability payments under the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program and attempt to work, you may be able to earn some money while continuing to receive benefits. The rules are designed to make it easier for disability beneficiaries to test their ability to work on a permanent basis without losing their benefits in the attempt.

If you receive Social Security disability insurance benefits, you are generally entitled to 12 months of work, during which your earnings will not affect your benefits. This includes a trial work period of nine months while you test your ability to work on a regular basis, and a 3-month grace period before benefits stop.

A trial work month is any month in which your earnings are more than \$200. If you are working in your own business or profession, the trial work period would be any month in which your earnings are more than \$200 or you spend more than 40 hours in your business. The trial work months need not be in a row, but they must take place within a 60-month period to be considered part of a trial work period.

At the end of the nine months of trial work, Social Security reviews the work to see if it was substantial. Generally,

if average monthly earnings are \$500 or more, the work is considered "substantial gainful activity," the measure that is used to determine if you can work. The amount of earnings used to determine substantial gainful activity increases annually for the blind, periodically for the non-blind disabled.

In addition, Social Security provides for a 36-month period of entitlement to benefits following a successful trial work period. For any month you cannot work, or if your earnings drop below \$500, your benefits can be started up again without a new application, disability determination, or waiting period. All you have to do is notify the Social Security office that your earnings have dropped below \$500.

Under SSI, cash benefits also continue, but a different work test applies. As your earnings go up, your SSI checks go down and eventually stop. Some earnings are not counted in figuring whether a person qualifies for SSI. First, we exclude \$65 of earned income, and one half of the amount of earnings you have over \$65, for a total exclusion of \$85 if your only income is earnings. If all your income is from earnings, you can earn up to \$1,025 before all of your SSI payment is eliminated.

SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

By Jan Farley

Special thought for the week: A warm smile is the universal language of kindness and friendship.

Some up-coming things for the weeks ahead: Card parties on Tuesdays from 1 to 4 p.m., and play bridge, euchre, pinocle, etc. (They have two bridge tables and are hoping for a third or fourth table.); new activity on Fridays—Coffee Klatsch at 10 a.m. All seniors are invited to attend. Sit and chat with your friends and neighbors and get a chance to find out what the folks think about anything that is on their mind. It's fun and informative, too!

Birthday luncheon at 12:30 p.m. on the 13th; Blood pressures taken from 11 a.m. to 12 noon on the 14th; and legal help on the 15th at 1:30 p.m. Sunday potluck on the 17th at 4 p.m. Baggero-cardo game at 3 p.m. on the 20th, as well as the COA board meeting at 5:30 p.m.; Tina dance on March 26, at 12:30 p.m., and a sweatshirt contest at 5:30 on the 27th; BPs taken on the 28th, and the "OTL" (Out to lunch gang) goes to Kalamazoo on the 29th. Sign up or call in your reservation; the bus leaves at 10:45 and the cost is \$5 and you are responsible for your lunch donation.

Tax-Aide, free tax assistance for seniors and their home heating, drug prescription, etc. Tax forms to be filled out. Dates: March 29 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and on April 1 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call for an appointment, 348-7123.

Remember the bad weather policy rule of thumb—if the Crawford-AuSable Schools are closed, then the center is closed for all meals and activities. The Meals-on-Wheels people are furnished with an emergency meal or two in their freezers to use on these days when the center is closed. The office will be open if at all possible.

Come and eat at the center. The meals are tasty, well balanced, and it is really the best deal in town! \$1.50 donation for seniors, and the charge for those under 60 is \$3. We can always take a few walk-ins—but for the most part, try and call ahead, 348-7123. Meals are served at 12 noon and 5 p.m. Monday thru Thursday, and 12 noon only on Fridays. Menus are subject to change without notice.

Lunch/Dinner

March 13—Beef Stroganoff/Veal Cutlets;
March 14—Parmesan Chicken/Country Pork;
March 15—Meatloaf/No Dinner;
March 18—Meatloaf/Chicken Cacciatore;
March 19—Tuna & Noodles/Pepper Steak;
March 20—Salisbury Steak/Baked Ham;
March 21—BBQ Chicken/Goulash;
March 22—Roast Beef/No Dinner.

DISTRICT COURT

Appearing before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Wm. Edward Ankiel, Jr., 39, of Mancelona, pleaded guilty to the charge of NSF Under \$50, and was fined \$160 or 14 days, restitution paid. He was cited Feb. 11, 1995, by the city police.

Bonita Eileen Scheffler, 44, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to the charge of Possession Of Marijuana, and was fined \$340 or 30 days, ordered to pay \$150 lab fees, placed on one year probation, plus her license was

suspended six months. On motion of prosecuting attorney, original charge of Manufacture Marijuana was dismissed upon above plea. She was cited June 27, 1995, by the state police.

Richard Lynn Barkway, 23, of Grayling, pleaded no contest to the charge of Driving Suspended, and was sentenced to 30 days in jail. He was cited Dec. 16, 1994, by the sheriff dept.

Heather Lynn Garnett, 22, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to the charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$540

or 60 days, and placed on six months probation. She was cited Dec. 14, 1995, by the city police.

Harvey Brian Hall, 37, of Roscommon, was charged with OUIL, and was fined \$640 or 60 days, placed on one year probation with last 30 days in jail, plus his license was revoked one year. He was cited Sept. 10, 1995, by the sheriff dept.

Richard Lynn Barkway, 23, of Grayling, pleaded guilty to the charge of OUIL 2nd, and was placed on 12 months probation, with first 60 days in

jail, with credit for 21 days already served. He was cited April 24, 1995, by the sheriff dept.

Gregory Ernest Lawe, 33, of Frederic, pleaded guilty to the charge of Driving While License Suspended 2nd, and was fined \$440 or 30 days. He was cited Jan. 13, 1996, by the state police.

Ginger Margaret Beck, 33, of Frederic, demanded a preliminary exam on the charge of Embezzlement By Administrator Or Guardian. A \$70,000 cash or surety bond was set.

DISTRICT COURT

Cecil Edward Raney, 32, of Roscommon, demanded a preliminary exam on Count I: Assault With Dangerous Weapon, and Count II: Possession Firearm By A Felon. A \$50,000 cash or surety bond was set.

John Leslie Hill, 17, of Grayling, demanded a preliminary exam on Count I: Larceny From A Person, and Count II: Larceny In A Building. A \$50,000 cash or surety bond was set.

Jeffery Todd Hale, 17, of Grayling, demanded a preliminary exam on Count I: Larceny From A Person, and

Count II: Larceny In A Building. A \$50,000 cash or surety bond was set.

Robert E. Wolf, 29, demanded a preliminary exam on the charge of Prisoner In Possession Of Contraband. No bond was set as he is a state prisoner.

Glenn Ryan Gunther, 20, demanded a preliminary exam on the charge of Prisoner In Possession Of Contraband. No bond was set as he is a state prisoner.

Russell Williamson, Jr., 34, demanded a preliminary exam on Counts I-IV: Assault A Corrections Officer, and Count VI: Prisoner In Possession Of Contraband. No bond was set as he is a state prisoner.

Lionel Anthony Green, 31, demanded a preliminary exam on Count I: Assault A Corrections Officer, and Count II: Prisoner In Possession

Of Contraband. No bond was set as he is a state prisoner.

Jacob Ramsey Rike, 17, of Hastings, was bound over to circuit court on the charge of Possession With Intent To Deliver Marijuana. A \$10,000 cash or surety bond was set.

Jason Jon Carroll, 24, of Wayland, was bound over to circuit court on the charge of Possession With Intent To Deliver Marijuana. A \$20,000 bond was set.

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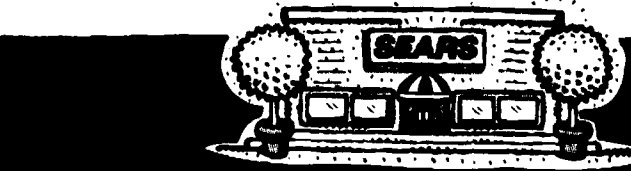
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4-HP, 20-in. side discharge mower has a Briggs & Stratton engine for one-pull starts.
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OBITUARIES

Dennis Ziehm

Dennis W. Ziehm, 54, of Grayling, died Sunday, March 10, 1996, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. No services are planned. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Mr. Ziehm was born July 17, 1941, in Warren, and moved to Grayling five years ago from Sterling Heights. He was a retired truck driver for Messina Trucking, Inc., Utica, and was a member of the Moose Lodge #1162, Grayling.

Mr. Ziehm was preceded in death by his father, William Ziehm.

Survivors include: wife, Beverly J. (Buchanan) Ziehm; son, Daniel Ziehm of Clinton Township; mother, Evelyn Anstney of Sterling Heights; grandmother, Hattie Boettcher of Sterling Heights; sisters, Karen Wood and Diane Wiley, both of Sterling Heights; step-son, John Roy of Roseville; step-daughter, Bonnie McGinnis of Warren; and granddaughter, Danielle Ziehm.

Scott Sims

Scott Alan Sims, 58, of Columbus, Mississippi, and formerly of Crawford County, died Friday, March 1, 1996, at North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo, Mississippi.

Mr. Sims was born March 12, 1937, in Findley, Ohio, to the late Robert Don and Thelma Sims.

Survivors include: wife, Mary (Sindle) Sims of Columbus, Mississippi; daughters, Deneise Palmer of Greenville, and Bonnetta Wright of Columbus, Mississippi; son, Alan Sims of Columbus, Mississippi; brothers, Michael Sims of Roscommon, Robert Sims of St. Ignace, Clem Sims of Columbus, Mississippi, Gaylord Sims and James Sims, both of Roscommon; sisters, Carolyn North of Vanderbilt, and Joyce Peterson of Roscommon; step-children, Mary Snider, Howard Sims and Diana Hughey; 15 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

The family suggests memorial contributions in his name to the American Cancer Society.

Ann Gorney

Ann J. Gorney, 77, of Grayling, died Monday, March 4, 1996, at Mercy Manor in Grayling. Cremation has taken place and there will be a service of committal of ashes in the spring, at Elmwood Cemetery, Grayling. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gorney was born Jan. 7, 1919, in Bay City, and had been a resident of Grayling for 35 years. She was a homemaker and a retired nurse's aide and housekeeper, formerly employed at Saginaw Osteopathic Hospital and later at Mercy Hospital, Grayling.

Mrs. Gorney was a member of Eagles Aerie #3465 Auxiliary, Grayling.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sylvester Gorney, in 1976; companion, Harold Graves, in 1995; and by her parents, Joseph and Anna (Swiderski) Graczyk.

Survivors include: son, Thomas and wife Mary Jane Gorney, Sr. of Bay City; daughters, Janice and husband Joe LaGrow of Grayling, and Karen and husband Ken Bindshatell of Frederic; brothers, Walter and wife Dorothy Graczyk of Bay City, Joseph Graczyk of Linwood, and Harry Graczyk of Gas City, Indiana; grandchildren, Kenneth Gorney and Tom Gorney, both of Bay City, Joe LaGrow, Jr. of Flint, Amy LaGrow of Midland, Ken Bindshatell and Heather Bindshatell, both of Frederic; and three great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be directed to either the Crawford County Library or the Crawford County Chapter of American Red Cross.

Card of thanks

It's very difficult to find the right words to express our true appreciation to all the people who so generously contributed during the recent loss of our loved one, Jim Wakeley.

We would especially like to thank Jim's nieces, Terri Lynn, Jackie and Susie, who organized such a lovely dinner. To the people who gave donations to rent the Legion, and to all of those who donated and made such good food.

Our thanks to WGRY who donated the tape *Just Beyond The Moon*; to Terri Lynn and Susie for going out of their way to get it.

We would like to thank all the people who sent cards and donations. To the residents of Maple Forest who so generously contributed.

Our deepest appreciation goes out to Hospice with Loving Care in Roscommon. To their wonderful and caring staff who made it much easier for us to get through this difficult time.

Most important of all, we would like to thank Jim's sister, Betty, brothers, Bob, Larry, Weldon, Terry and the entire Wakeley family, who through their love and support, helped to ease our pain and sorrow.

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Mildred Blaine

Mildred V. Blaine, 82, of Grayling, died Thursday, March 7, 1996, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services were held Sunday, March 10, at 2 p.m., at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, with Pastor Terry Graunke officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery, Grayling.

Mrs. Blaine was born July 9, 1913, in Grayling, and had lived here her entire life. She was formerly employed as a bookkeeper for Kerry & Hanson Flooring Company when they were in business in Grayling. She was also a homemaker, and a member of St. John Lutheran Church, Grayling.

Mrs. Blaine was preceded in death by her husband, Clement Blaine, in 1976; and by her parents, Christoffer and Hansine Karoline (Larsen) Hanson.

Survivors include: son, John and wife Charlene Blaine of Grayling; sister, Ingeborg Raue of Grayling; and grandchildren, Jason Blaine of Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and MaryBeth Blaine of Grayling.

The family suggests memorial contributions to St. John Lutheran Church or Amicare Hospice.

Special thanks

From the bottom of our hearts, thanks to friends, family, neighbors and Hospice with Loving Care for your loving support, prayers, cards, flowers and food during Phyllis' illness and death. You made a difference for every one of us.

The family of
Phyllis Thompson

Adele Cousins

Adele Cousins, 36, of Grayling, died Tuesday, March 5, 1996, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 16, at 1 p.m., at Grayling Assembly of God Church, with Pastor Ron Voelker officiating. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Ms. Cousins was born Aug. 12, 1959, in Lansing, and had moved to Grayling from Lansing, in 1968. She attended the Grayling Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include: parents, Robert and Joyce Cousins of Grayling; sister, April and husband Howard Anglemeyer of Grayling; brothers, Robert and wife Janelle Cousins of Grayling, and Henry Cousins of Roscommon; grandmother, Laura Kleewein of Milwaukee; two nieces; two nephews; aunts, uncles and cousins.

Card of thanks

The family of Donald Feldhauser would like to express our deep gratitude for all who gave so freely of their caring and love during Don's last illness. It was a great comfort to all of us.

Jeanne, Dan, Bruce, Delann,
Hank, Jill and Dave

Card of thanks

A heartfelt thanks for all your prayers, cards and offers of assistance following my recent accident. You all are true "friends." A special thanks to "nurse" Cindy and my two sons, Chris and Jeremy; you've been real troopers.

John Jones
"Batman"



55TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY—Elwin and Pauline (Polly) Matheson of Sun City West, Arizona, celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on March 1. They were married March 1, 1941, in Roscommon. Elwin is a retired editor and co-publisher of the Roscommon Herald-News, and Polly is a retired secretary for the board of education. The couple have one son, Thomas and his wife Bonnie Matheson.

HOMETOWN NEWS

Rupert and Kathy Pearsall of Lovells, are proud to announce the graduation of their daughter, Susanna Senkowski, on Dec. 15, from Delta College. She is now an RN at Bay Medical Hospital in Bay City.

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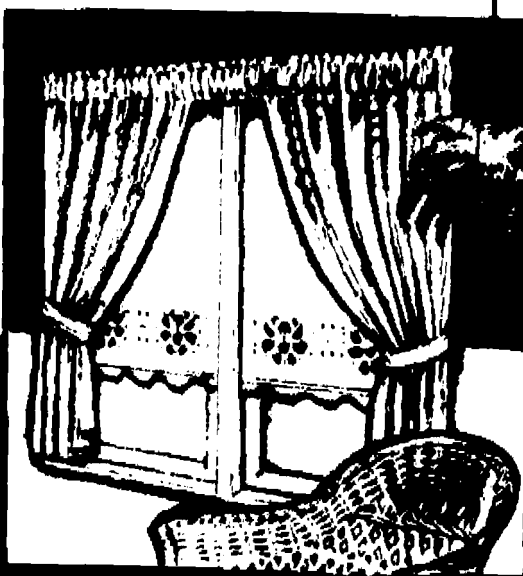
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DEQ implements new licensing procedure

Processing certain shore protection and dock applications will be done faster under a 14-county pilot program implemented by the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ).

The program is administered by the DEQ's Land and Water Management Division in the Jackson and Mio district offices, which serve the counties of Alcona, Arenac, Branch, Calhoun, Clare, Crawford, Gladwin, Hillsdale, Iosco, Jackson, Lenawee, Ogemaw, Oscoda and Roscommon.

"This provides a convenient walk-in service to contractors and property owners, who can have their applications reviewed on the spot," said DEQ Director Russell Harding. "If found to be in compliance with applicable state laws, a permit will be issued at that time. The DEQ is always searching for better ways to serve its customers. This program holds great promise, and I'm confident it will be well-received by affected residents of these counties."

Harding pointed out that not every minor shore protection project can be approved right away. Permits will be issued only when it is clear an on-site inspection is not necessary.

Program guidelines are:

• Appointments are needed for the processing of walk-in permits. They can be made by calling the Mio office at (517) 826-3211.

• A complete application and adequate documentation must be provided. They should include the property owner's signature on the application form or an authorization letter, plans and application fee. Photographs that accurately show site conditions also must be submitted.

• The shore protection must be a minor project as defined in Part 301, Rule 6 (c) of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 Public Act 451. It states that:

(c) Seawalls, bulkheads and other permanent revetment structures which meet all of the following purpose and design criteria:

(i) the proposed structure fulfills an identifiable need for erosion protection, bank stabilization or the protection of, or improvements on, uplands.

(ii) the structure will be constructed of suitable materials free from pollutants, waste metal products, debris or organic materials.

(iii) the structure is not more than 200 feet in length and is located in an area on the body of water where other similar structures already exist.

(iv) the placement of backfill or other fill associated with the construction does not exceed an average of 2 cubic yards per running foot along the shoreline and a maximum of 300 cubic yards.

(v) the structure of any associated fill will not be placed in a wetland area or placed in any manner that impairs surface water flow into or out of any wetland area.

• For projects located on the Great Lakes, DEQ will forward the state permit, permit application and drawings to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for any necessary federal permit requirements.

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The Bible Speaks

From the Calvary Baptist Church

Has America Sinned?

Last week, we discussed the Biblical pattern of God's judgement upon nations. We now consider why God is bringing such judgement upon America. God has placed woe or judgement upon those who pervert His moral standards. "Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!" (Isaiah 5:20)

We have sinned against God, the Bible, and prayer in our public life. While God is being rejected, our children are being taught to know and worship the gods of multiculturalism. Instead of being disciplined unto maturity, our youth are being pampered and placated with phony feelings of self-esteem. While we lose our religious freedoms in the name of separation of church and state, our air waves are being polluted with profanity, pornography, and violence in the name of freedom of speech. While moral absolutes of the Bible are

being ridiculed as radical, sin is viewed as right under moral pluralism. All sexual perversion is defended as the right to alternative lifestyles. Murder of the unborn, depressed, diseased, and dying are now rights of choice called abortion, suicide, and euthanasia. While patriot forefathers are being defamed and degraded as racists, their descendants are suffering governmental race discrimination. Stealing is considered right when the government does it with progressive taxes and redistribution of wealth. We are in danger of selling our security as "One nation under God," for the utopian dreams of a new world order.

The answer is not found in new politicians, a new political party, or a new political program. Most politicians believe most people are basically good and our problems can be solved by governmental change in employment, education, and the environment. But Christ said, "For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries,

fornications, murders, Thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness: All these evil things come from within, and defile the man." (Mark 7:21-23) Christ tells us the heart must be changed to produce good. "A good man out of the good treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is good; and an evil man out of the evil treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is evil: for of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaketh." (Luke 6:45) Our hope must be in God.

God says, "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land." (2 Chronicles 7:14)

Pastor "B"

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Mount Sinai rose vertically from the seemingly endless flat sands of the desert called by that same name. Yet, on this unforgettable day, the mountain spewed smoke as thunder roared like a lion... a prelude to the appearance of Almighty God.

Carved in tablets of stone, God sent to Moses the Ten Commandments. From that day to this, all who choose to follow the will of God have made it their goal to abide by these rules. The Ten Commandments give order to a disorderly society which would otherwise be ruled by human nature alone.

This Sabbath, as we worship and meditate upon God's Word, let these holy laws be the focus of our attention. May the Ten Commandments be as real to us today as they were to Moses so long ago when God appeared in glory on Mount Sinai... the pinnacle of power.

The Pinnacle of Power



Sunday
Isaiah 6:1-13

Monday
Isaiah 38:1-22

Tuesday
Isaiah 43:1-13

Wednesday
Isaiah 43:14-28

Thursday
Isaiah 55:1-13

Friday
Jeremiah 31:23-40

Saturday
Hebrews 8:1-13

First Baptist Church Of Frederic
Pastor Dale Hammond
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

Christian Science Society
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
April through October
2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

Michelson Memorial
United Methodist Church
Pastor J. Douglas Paterson
400 Michigan Ave.
348-2974
Sunday Worship 9:30 & 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45-10:45 a.m.
Coffee Fellowship 12 noon
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Pastor David Stramel
Phone 348-4445
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable
off M-72 East (1st building on right
inside camp entrance).
Church Service 9:30 a.m.
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues 7 p.m.

Grayling Assembly of God
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor
701 S. I-75 Business Loop
Church 348-8885-Parsonage 348-2588
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
Adult-Youth-Children 7 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of
Latter Day Saints
President Larry A. Cook
600 North Elm St., Gaylord
Sacrament 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Primary 11 a.m.
Priesthood 12 noon
Relief Society 12 noon

Heritage Baptist
Pastor Ernie Wagner 348-1411
1841 Hartwick Pines Rd.
1/4 mile west of I-75
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

St. John Evangelical
Lutheran (ELCA)
Pastor Robert Cochran
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Bible School 9:15 a.m.
Adult Bible Study 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Nursery is available

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Of Jesus Christ
Of Latter Day Saints
Pastor Lacey Stephens, Jr.
Corner of North Down River Rd.
and South Millikin Rd.
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Preaching 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schnap
415 Ohio North
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church
Robert W. Nalley, J.C.L., Pastor
Lee Ann Duckley, Pastoral Associate
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Sabbath Eucharist
Saturday Vigil 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

Daily Worship
Tuesday & Thursday 7 p.m.
Wednesday & Friday 9:30 a.m.
Sacrament of Reconciliation, anytime
by appointment, Saturday at 4 p.m. and
1/2 hour prior to weekday masses.

Calvary Assembly of God
Rev. Lawrence Cook
250 Lake St. - Roscommon - 275-5309
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor
M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
Gordon French Minister
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.
348-8573
Sunday Classes & Worship. 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

Bear Lake Christian
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Service 10 a.m.

The Church of Christ
with the Elgin Message
Pastor John E. Weaver
7662 Kelly Ave. - Frederic
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

Abundant Life Tabernacle
Pastor Lyle Stader
211 Shellenbarger St.
Grayling, Mich.
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Night 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Grayling Baptist Church
Affiliated with S.B.C.
Pastor Terry Colby
Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue
(517) 348-2557
Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Levells Chapel
Pastor Gary Hopp
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Chapel Service 11 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7-8 p.m.

Free Methodist
Joseph Carpenter - Pastor
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.
(M-72 West) Phone 348-5362
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Prayer Meeting (Wednesday) 7 p.m.

Mt. Hope Evangelical
Lutheran - Missouri Synod
Rev. Paul Boerger, Pastor
905 North I-75 Business Loop
348-5921 or 348-6504
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Monday Women's Bible Study 9 a.m.
Thursday Men's Promise
Keepers Study 7 p.m.
Tuesday Weekday School 5 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 9 a.m.

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Priest in Charge:
The Rev. Walter Drager
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Sunday Holy Eucharist
8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Morning Praise 10:30 a.m.
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Adult Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Children's Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Sunday nursery provided 10:30 a.m.
Adult Choir Practice (Monday) 6 p.m.

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Herbert R. Filter-Pastor
For information call 275-5443
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Community Center, Sunday mornings at
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Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Pumping iron is good for a healthy body

A lot of research has been done in recent years, regarding vitamins and minerals. One mineral that a lot of people in the United States are low in is iron. That is what we call Anemia.

Do you really know what iron does in your body? Iron is part of the hemoglobin in the blood that takes oxygen and carbon dioxide to and from every cell in your body which is vitally important.

Research has found that animals with low iron levels had impaired attention and learning disability and hyperactivity. In young adults, low levels of iron indicated reduced alertness and impaired memory. In young children it can cause pale skin, rapid heartbeat, irritability and restlessness.

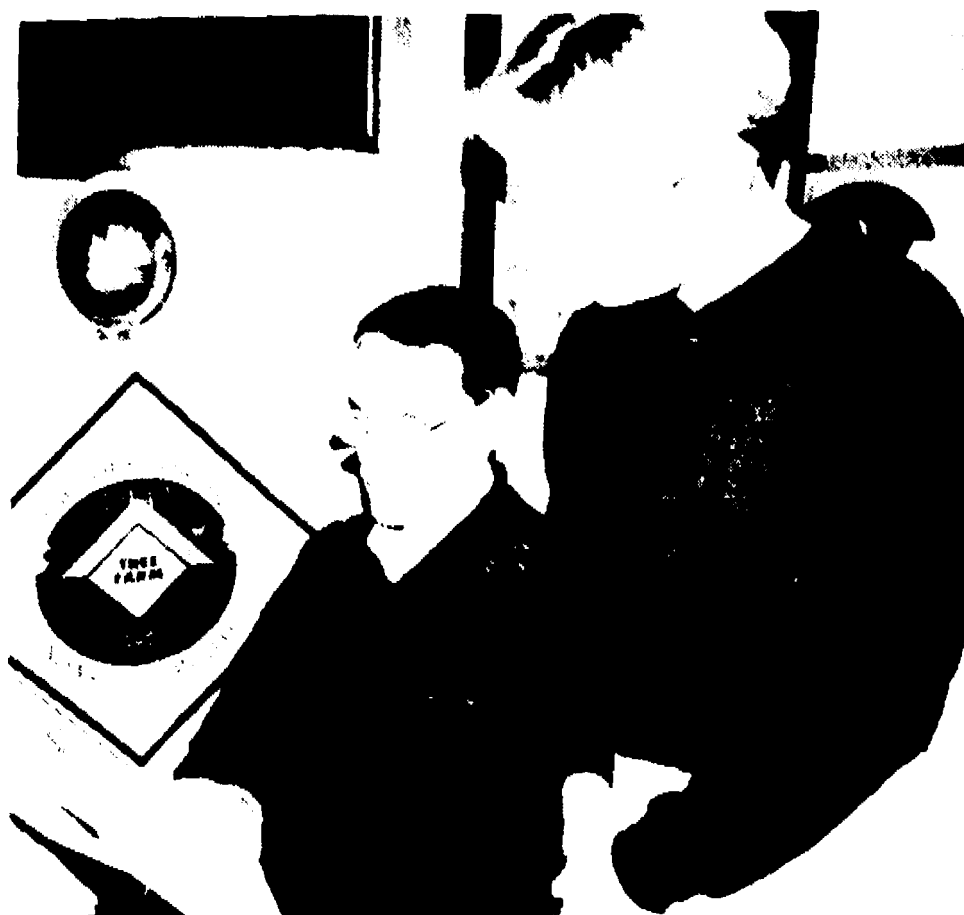
The USDA recommends 10 mg for growing children and grown men, 15 mg for women and 30 mg for pregnant women.

Some good food sources of iron are

dried beans, peas, sardines, red meat and spinach. Unfortunately iron isn't readily absorbed by the body, but eating an iron-rich food along with a food high in Vitamin C will increase the amount of iron your body will absorb. A good example is meat and potatoes; meat is a good source of iron and potatoes are a good source of Vitamin C.

Even between meat and potatoes you are only getting about 15 percent of the recommended daily amount or about 2 1/2 mg. This is why manufacturers of foods like cereal and bread have fortified their products with iron. This means they have added iron to their food. This helps you get the amount of iron you need without having to eat a lot of calories. Young children should stay on iron fortified infant cereal until they reach 2 years of age. This gives them the amount of iron they need for growing bodies and brain cells.

Iron supplements should only be taken if recommended by your doctor. Excess amounts of iron can gradually cause liver and pancreas damage. You can't overdose on iron from food, but you can overdose on iron supplements.



SELECTING A WINNER — Tom Stone, (L) forester for the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) in Indian River and head of the Tree Farm Scholarship committee and Mark Stormzand, forester at Weyerhaeuser and chairman of the Michigan Tree Farm Committee, examine scholarship applications.

Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation donated \$1,000 to the Michigan Tree Farm Scholarship Fund.

Each year the Michigan Tree Farm Committee selects one senior for this scholarship. Applicants must do a project on a certified tree farm or school forest which pertains to natural resources.

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Brad and Mary Storey of Prudenville: Steven Bradley, Feb. 29, 1996, 10 pounds, 4.5 ounces.

Drs. Jerry and Elizabeth Suminski of Grayling: Ivan Patrick, Feb. 24, 1996, 7 pounds, 1.3 ounces.

Stephen and Michelle Scheid of Grayling: Alison Jo, Feb. 24, 1996, 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

Gerald and Paula Barcia of Mio: Britnie Lynn, Feb. 26, 1996, 8 pounds, 10 ounces.

Students share career dreams in 'When I Grow Up' speech competition

Johannesburg Elementary School was host to one of eight semi-final rounds of the 1996 Michigan McDonald's "When I Grow Up" speech competition on Tuesday, March 12.

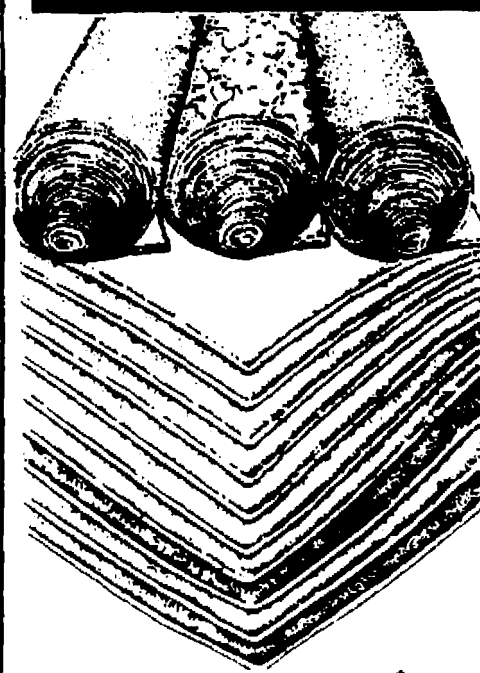
Two Grayling students competed: Fourth-grader Joe Lange of Grayling Elementary School wants to be an astronaut, and Grayling Middle School student Ken Heinlein wants to be an illustrator.

Approximately 33 fourth- and fifth-grade students from northern Michigan competed in the eighth-annual competition. Students competing in "When I Grow Up" gave oral presentations describing their "dream" careers and how they intend to achieve them.

Two finalists—one fourth-grader and one fifth-grader—will advance to the final round of the statewide competition to be held Saturday, April 27, in Lansing.

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Questions answered by the VA

Question: Where can I get information about my late father's military career?

Answer: VA may have some records

available if a decedent was a VA beneficiary. You may send identifying information to your nearest VA regional office. Useful information would include full name, VA file number, branch of service, service serial number, Social Security number, exact dates of birth or death, and enlistment and discharge dates. If the veteran has not been a VA beneficiary, you may call the regional office at 800-827-1000 to request Standard Form 180, Request Pertaining to Military Records, to file with the National Personnel Records Center, Military Personnel Records, 9700 Page Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri 63132.

Question: What can I do to upgrade my bad conduct discharge, if possible?

Answer: Call the Veterans Benefits Administration's toll-free number at 800-827-1000 to request that you be sent DD Form 293. This will provide information on how to appeal your

discharge status. If more than 15 years have passed since discharge, DD Form 149 should be used.

Question: I have seen references to regulations that guide VA evaluations of claims as being in Title 38 CFR. Where can I obtain a copy of this document?

Answer: BA's adjudication procedures are based on federal laws, regulations and VA policies. The document to which you refer is a part of the Code of Federal Regulations and may be available at your local library. VA offers public access to a searchable electronic version at <http://www.va.gov/regs/title38.htm> via Internet. You also may purchase copies of the volumes that comprise Title 38 through the Government Printing Office (GPO); contact GPO at (202) 512-1800 for current information on price and availability.

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JOIN US IN COURT—On Jan. 16, near midnight, the body of a man came hurtling through space and crashed, a disfigured mass, at the foot of the Faulkner Building. If you mix a suicide, or a murder, of business tycoon Bjorn Faulkner, with the antics and chaos of a courtroom anything can happen. Even O.J. could not stand on the fifth for this.

On March 7, 8 and 9, join in as District Attorney Flint (Forrest Thompson, grade 7, and Timothy Ormsbee, grade 8), Defense Attorney Stevens (Sarah McGuire, grade 8, and Michelle Stepp, grade 7), Honorable Judge Heath (Sam Moore, grade 8), and many other characters, including the audience, debate over the case. The Crawford County Courthouse is the scene and the time is 7:30 p.m. Don't be late or you will be held in contempt of court. The admission charge is \$3, and it is directed by JoAnn Manor.

New Life Community Service receives Detroit Lions Charities grant

Detroit Lions Charities has awarded a record total of \$146,565.28 in grants to assist charitable and community organizations in Michigan. Grants were awarded to 110 groups representing interests throughout the state. This year's total brings Detroit Lions Charities giving to \$646,782.54 since grants were first awarded in March, 1991.

Among the grants recipients was a \$500 grant to New Life Community Service, to support its counseling services for low-income families.

"We are very pleased that Detroit Lions Charities continues to grow in its support of those in need throughout Michigan," said William Clay Ford, Jr., Lions' vice-chairman. "The Lions take pride in working alongside many outstanding philanthropic organizations in Michigan, that recognize needs in our communities and find ways to assist."

Detroit Lions Charities is a non-profit organization which was founded by the Detroit Lions in June, 1990. It supports a wide variety of activities and programs that benefit all age

groups in education, civic affairs and health and human services in Michigan. Twenty-one grants, totaling \$59,200, were awarded in Charities' first funding cycle in March 1991. Thanks to increased corporate and private support through various fund raisers, Charities' giving has been able to consistently grow.

"The Lions have our corporate friends, fans and our players, coaches and staff to thank for a banner year for Detroit Lions Charities," praised Lions' Executive Vice-President Check Schnydt. "The corporate community and countless numbers of our fans continue to enthusiastically support our many events. We are also very proud of the people who work in the Lions' organization who have volunteered their time and effort to help Charities make a difference in the community. It truly has been a team effort."

This year's grants assist 110 agencies in Michigan. Recipients range from a school assembly program for elementary school children in Detroit, to "Pigskin Geography," a unique

learning initiative for youth in Pontiac, Flint and surrounding areas. Funded activities are as diverse as swimming lessons for inner-city youth at the Grand Rapids Metropolitan YMCA, to horseback riding therapy for the developmentally-challenged through the Fowler Center in Mayville.

New Life Community Service is a non-profit organization, licensed by the State of Michigan, and accredited by CARF. The agency provides group and individual counseling services for various concerns, including substance abuse, marriage and relationship problems, depression and self-growth. Spiritual counseling is available upon request. Client fees are adjusted to family income and size. Medicaid is accepted for substance-abuse counseling. New Life receives financial support from United Way, local organizations and other federal, state and private funding.

New Life's offices are located in the St. Francis Human Resource Center on M-72, one mile west of US-27. Appointments can be made by calling (517) 348-2544.

GRAYLING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Student of the Month

Month: February

Category: "Picture Smart"

Mrs. Nunn (Blue) Kassie Marshall

Bruce Smith

Nikki Dedafoe

Josh Charron

Mrs. Nunn (Yellow) Steven Roby

Anthony Ghanum

Ashley Minard

Kayla Cannoy

Mrs. Spencer (Blue) Josh Sell

Danielle Holland

Leroy Decker

Mrs. Spencer (Yellow) Tiffany Davis

Mitchell Alimenti

Bryan Galvani

Miss Marler (Blue) Ethan Lynch

Alexis Elmy

Johnny LoGuidice

Miss Marler (Yellow) Kendyl Page

Krystal Bromley

Monica Peters

Charlie Smith

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Heather Robinson

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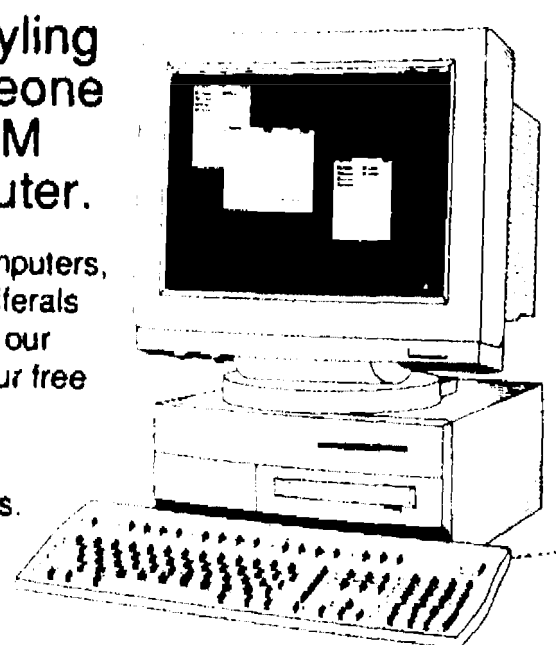
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NBD Bank sponsors Kirtland Youth Theatre

Patricia Moreau, banking officer at NBD Bank-Roscommon, presented Ron Koenig, managing director of Kirtland Center for the Performing Arts-Kirtland Community College, with a check recently, in the amount of \$2,500, in support of the goals and activities of Kirtland Youth Theatre. The money will be used to help maintain a \$2 student-ticket price for all Kirtland Youth Theatre events, and to support the in-school residency activities the center has begun this year.

Kirtland Youth Theatre is the performing arts and cultural events establishment, under the umbrella of Kirtland Center for the Performing Arts. Its mission is to present a variety of performing arts and cultural events catering to the diversity of interests of students in the Kirtland service area and beyond. Towards that end, it presents a number of performing arts events at Kirtland Community College throughout the year, to which area students are bussed—usually on Friday mornings and early afternoons. In addition, performing artists are introduced into the school environment at all grade levels in the six intermediate

school districts serviced by Kirtland Community College.

In 1995-96, six performances were offered in all. These included the musical *Curious George* by the New York based Theatreworks/USA, The Lyric Chamber Ensemble from Cincinnati, the light opera *Babes In Toyland* by American Family Theatre of Philadelphia, Shakespeare's *Much Ado About Nothing* by the New York based Acting Company, *Alice In Wonderland* by Bits 'N Pieces Puppet Theatre Company of Tampa, and The Carlota Santana Spanish Dance Company of New York, coming on April 12.

Residency activities included a week-long residency in elementary and high school classrooms by The Lyric Chamber Ensemble. Elementary school students had hands-on access to 20 harps that were supplied by the artists, and then the students, accompanied by the ensemble, gave a concert in their school that evening. The Acting Company of New York, provided three days of workshops in five area schools, introducing area students to the language and imagery of William Shakespeare. These in-

class workshops were followed up with a 50-minute performance of *Much Ado About Nothing* by The Acting Company at Kirtland.

Sponsors who have given generously to make Kirtland Youth Theatre possible in 1995-96 include: Morley Brothers Foundation of Saginaw, NBD Bank, N.A. Charitable Trust, Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation, Glen's Markets, Schroeder Foundation of Roscommon, Kirtland Community College Foundation, The Helen L. DeRoy Foundation of Detroit, North Central Area Credit Union, Rotary Club of Grayling, Roscommon County United Way, Roscommon Canoe Racing Association, Quality Inn of West Branch, Grayling Lions Club, Holiday Inn of Houghton Lake, Grayling Holiday Inn, American Business Women's Association of Grayling, Grayling Lioness Club, Grayling Promotional Association, Zonta Club of Roscommon County, and North Winds Motor Lodge of Higgins Lake. Administrative expenses and use of the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium and its technical facilities are underwritten by Kirtland Community College.

BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

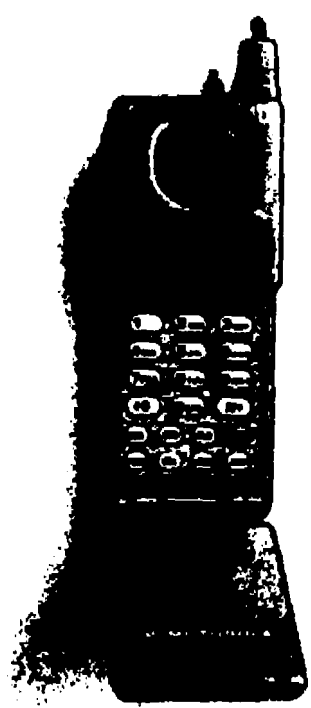
Mrs. Aileen Pond spent a week in Bay City visiting her daughter and husband, Cheryl and Jack Morley. While she was there, they took in the Ice Revue. Jack and Cheryl brought her back to Grayling.

D. J. Brown spent two weeks in Hawaii, where she visited her son, Spec. David Brown, who is stationed at Schofield Barracks. They spent most

of their time in Honolulu, Oahu, and went to Maui for four days. D. J. said David took her to all of the places she wanted to see and did the things she wanted to do, and had a wonderful time. On her return flight, she had a layover in Los Angeles, and her sister and family came to the airport to visit for a short time.

Diane Adkison of Sparta, Tennessee,

is attending Midlow State Community College studying business accounting. She has been invited to join the National Honorary Society, Gamma Beta Pi. In order to qualify for the honor, a student must be carrying a 3.8 average. Diane is the daughter of Pete and Gloria Stephan and is married to Mark Adkison. Besides attending school, she is working and is the mother of two children.



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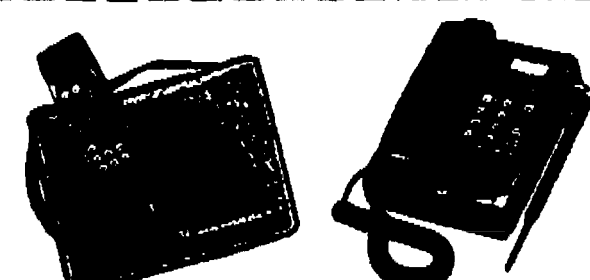
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McClung featured artist for Kirtland's Warbler Festival

Canadian born Catherine McClung will be the featured artist at the Kirtland's Warbler Festival, May 18 and 19. This year's festival is centered at Kirtland Community College, and features events and activities throughout Crawford, Oscoda, Ogemaw and Roscommon counties.

McClung's work is frequently honored in bird and waterfowl art competitions and is displayed at numerous shows and galleries. Her style is easily recognized; layer upon layer of watercolor glazes are used to create the transition between the precise shapes of the birds to the soft blur of the background.

McClung's work has been selected for the most prestigious Leigh Yawkey Woodson Museum's Birds in Art Exhibition. She became the 1986-87 Ohio Ducks Unlimited Artist of the

Year. She was selected as the featured artist in the 1987 Michigan Wildlife Art Festival and the 1988 Great Lakes Wildlife Art Festival.

McClung now makes her home in Dexter. Some of her other commissions include her painting of indigo buntings and wild blackberries for the cover of the Michigan Breeding Birds Atlas; a painting of Kirtland's warblers for Dow Corning, whose prints became part of Duck's Unlimited's "Seven State Art Program;" a series of designs for the Hamilton Collection to be used for a new product, porcelain eggs; the neo-tropical migratory bird poster commissioned by the Department of Natural Resources in seven states; and a limited-edition plate series of songbirds and wild flowers for the Lenox Fine China Company.

Bank on this sure sign of spring



MAKING A WITHDRAWAL--When the sap starts running, you know that spring is here. Robert Weiman of Grayling, has tapped the maple trees in front of GSB for the sweet sap that he uses every year to make maple syrup.

Attention GHS Class of 1971

Anyone interested in having or helping put together the 25th class reunion for the Class of 1971, call Sherry (Millikin) Harney at (517) 348-5333.

RANGE FIRING

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin on March 13 through March 16, and March 19 through March 20.

Kirtland Ensemble Theatre Company to present dinner theatre

Kirtland Community College's community and student theatre company, the Kirtland Ensemble Theatre Company (KETC), will present its annual spring dinner theatre on Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23, with dinner at 6:30 p.m. and performance at 8 p.m.

The performance will be an evening of 1-act plays collectively titled, "Pieces Of Eight." The evening will feature eight plays, written by eight playwrights, performed by an ensemble of eight performers. Included in the evening are: *The Unexpurgated Memoirs Of Bernard Mergendeiler* by Jules Feiffer, *The Black And White* by Harold Pinter, *The Tridgen Of Grevu*

by Ring Lardner, *The Sandbox* by Edward Albee, *The (15-minute) Dogg's Troupe Hamlet* by Tom Stoppard, *Another Tavern In York* by Kerry Lane, *Enough* by Samuel Beckett, and *I'm Herbert* by Robert Anderson.

The cast include: Patricia Arnold, Melanie Boss, Mandy Durcell, Karen Hesser, Natascha McCuan, and Clay Horton, all of Grayling, Jason Berry of St. Helen, and Kurt Thoma of Roscommon.

The performance is directed by Koenig of Roscommon, with lighting and set design by Steven N. Cole of Grayling, costumes by Pamala Blackwell of Lewiston, and make-up

by Dan Choszyck of Grayling.

Dinner will be served in the Kirtland cafeteria from 6 to 7:30 p.m. and will feature your choice of either vegetable or meat lasagna, vegetable, bread, salad, beverage and dessert. Dinner reservations, while not required, are requested in advance to help the kitchen plan on how many to prepare for.

Cost for the dinner and performance is \$15 for adults, \$13 for seniors, and \$11 for students. For show only, ticket prices are \$8 for adults, \$6 for seniors, and \$4 for students. For ticket information, or if you would like to make a reservation, contact the Kirtland Ticket Office at (517) 275-6777.

Firebird dance returns for Kirtland's Warbler Festival

The Inside-Out Music and Dance Company of Midland, has agreed to return to Kirtland Community College for two special performances as part of the Kirtland's Warbler Festival celebration, Saturday, May 18.

The professional company's artistic director, Laura Cavanaugh, confirmed the appearance and also indicated that two Kirtland students, Kim Harden-Smith and Kurt Thomas, will be asked to perform with the company.

The group first appeared at Kirtland last spring, when it was commissioned to perform a work for the college. Cavanaugh, who incorporates live-

music performance with her choreography, created the "Firebird," a dance performance which reflected the song and the movements of the Kirtland's Warbler.

Each of the two 50-60-minute performances at 11:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 18, will include several contemporary dance pieces and culminate with the very popular Firebird dance.

Following her company's performance at Kirtland last spring, Cavanaugh taught a modern dance course at the college during the fall term.

Grayling Viking Band Boosters set to begin fund raiser

The Grayling Viking Band Boosters are set to begin the sale of certificates that offer a variety of discounts and special offers from participating businesses and restaurants. There are nine coupons on the certificate, and they are valued at over \$600. The coupons are good for discounts and special offers at the following businesses and restaurants:

- Fox Run Country Club: 2-for-1 green fees (\$100);
- Grayling Country Club: 2-for-1 green fees (\$70);
- Buccelli's Pizza: Great pizza savings (\$40);
- Subway: 2-for-1 subs, rounds, salads (\$70);
- Iron Gate Restaurant: 2-for-1 lunches, buffets and dinners (\$90);
- Patti's Towne House: 2-for-1

- lunches, dinners (\$120);
- McDonald's: 2-for-1 sandwiches (\$45);
- Grayling Entertainment: 2-for-1 movie rentals (\$40);
- Ray's Canoe Rental: great savings on rentals (\$40).

The band boosters and the band students will begin selling the certificates March 15. The certificates are good for numerous visits and do not expire until October. The price of the certificate is \$15. The certificates are available for a short time only, and quantities are limited. If you are not contacted by a band student, and would like to purchase a certificate, contact one of these officers: Karen Doherty, 348-7495; Tom Lamie, 348-3236; Dora Mead, 348-7794; or Bob Becka, 348-3119.

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Section B - Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday March 14, 1996

National American Legion celebrates 77th anniversary serving American veterans



Grayling American Legion Post #106

On Monday, March 17, 1919, in Paris, France, the American Legion was formed as a national American organization of, and for, American veterans. On Sunday, March 17, 1996, the American Legion will celebrate its 77th anniversary.

Grayling Post 106 of the American Legion was chartered on October 1, 1920, after having been approved for charter more than a year earlier. Signatories to the charter application were Arthur McIntyre, Russel Watson, William Hemmingsen, Ernest Larson, Roy Milnes, Emil Giegling, Anthony Nelson, Fred Smith, Axel Peterson, Curry Sheehy, Clarence Johnson, Henry Wilson, Wilfred Laurant, G.W. Bromwell, Alfred Hanson and Vernon Bennett. The first commander of the local post was Arthur C. McIntyre.

In 1965, John Deckrow, serving as the post historian, accumulated a large amount of historical information about the Grayling post.

During the first few years, Legion members held their meetings in a number of places in Grayling, but mostly in the "Danish Gym" at 800 Ionia Street.

The first Memorial Day observance was on May 30, 1920. In 1921 the local membership was 44 men.

Deckrow reported that the American Legion moved into the former Grand Army of the Republic (G.A.R.), building on Peninsular Street, when the building was given to the Legion by members of the Women's Relief Corp., the auxiliary of the G.A.R. The presentation of the deed was made by Mrs. Mary Fehr on March 16, 1925.

The G.A.R. building, built in 1896, later became the Grayling Moose Lodge and was torn down in the 1980s. It stood on the property where the Pat Gale Agency now stands.

In 1926, Legion members voted to allow the ladies to form an auxiliary. "This was one of the hottest debates the Legion has ever had," was written into the minutes of that meeting. The motion passed, but was apparently very close.

In his history project, Deckrow entered Legion highlights for each year. In 1926, the building was jacked up and a basement was hand dug using horses and wagons.

"Army stew was furnished by Mr. Burgess." In 1928, the post had four keno parties as fund raisers. In 1930, the post bought a combination radio and record player. In 1931, with 208 members, a banquet was given to raise money to support the band, and two baseball teams were sponsored.

Also in 1931, the Legion's 10th District held its annual meeting in Grayling on June 14 with more than 100 out-of-town guests, including Governor Brucker. Decker wrote that for the parade, "built Paul Bunyan wagon out of two sets of logging wheels with a big ax that had a 16 ft. handle....lumberjacks rode the wagon in the parade pulled by The Detroit Dairy with two teams. A sign under said 'Where men are men and women are dam glad of it.'"

The 1936 entry says, "Memorial Day Parade staged by Grayling Bugle and Drum Corp. A.J. Nelson, Marshall. Attended Catholic Church, dinner in the evening by the Legion Boys. Dec. 14, turkey dinner at Spikes. Nov. 8th, attended tenth district meeting at Coleman. Bugle and Drum Corp went along.

Sam Rasmussen got lost at Kingley at 5 a.m. Nov. 9th, local auto show. Nov. 11, free dinner for all ex-servicemen."

A 1940 entry says, "Tony is still drinking milk. Everybody admires him. The Bugle and Drum Corp turned out to the Dedication of the post office. We played while the flag was being raised. When we looked up the flag was upside down, so we played until it was reversed."

During the years of World War II, membership in the Legion dropped dramatically. In 1941, there were 84 listed members, and in 1942, only 72 members. By 1945 the membership was back up to 250.

When John Selesky became the post commander in 1946, he became the first World War II veteran to hold an office in Post 106.

In 1947, a bar license was obtained and a bar was installed in the basement of the building.

In 1956, the Legion moved into its new (present day) building. At the dedication A.J. Nelson and Alfred Hanson were present and were both given lifetime memberships for being the only two charter members that had maintained continuous membership.

In 1957, an army tank was obtained and placed outside the building.

1966 saw a Post 106 membership of 316 members, but was also the year that twelve members passed away including eight veterans of World War I, two veterans of World War II and two veterans of the Korean Conflict. 1966 was also the year the Legion voted to allow Vietnam veterans membership in the post.

Deckrow concluded his 50 year written history in 1968.

Grayling Post 106

American Legion Post Commanders

Arthur C. McIntyre	1920-21
Emil Giegling	1922-23
Alfred B. Hanson	1924-25, 1927, 1931
Neil Mathews	1926
Harry Hemmingsen	1928
Earl Hewitt	1929
Roy Milnes	1930
Otto Failing	1932-33
John Erkes	1934-35
Frank Decker	1936
Earl Wood	1937
Sam Stevenson	1938
John McMillan	1939
Carlton Wythe	1940
Leo Jorgenson	1941-42
Charles Tinker	1943-44
Calvin Church	1945
John Selesky	1946
George Quinn	1947-48
Jack K. Wade	1949-50
William LaChapelle	1951-52
Lyle Billsby	1953-54-55-56
Ralph Hoffman	1957-58
Kenneth Moore	1959
Richard Rasmussen	1960
Alvin Moore	1961
James Kitchen	1962
Harold Long	1963-1965
Harold Drake	1964
Edward Schultz	1966-67
William Johns	1967
Richard Hamlin	1968
Leo Hirvela	1969
Jack Rasmussen	1970-71-72
Arthur Thayer	1973
Harold Golnick	1974
John Wejrowski	1975
Larkin Baker	1976-1981
Jack Mead	1977
George Gingrich	1978
Al Kestleroot	1979
Tom Milner	1982
Marty Kitchen	1983
John Kier	1984-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96

Frederic fire department celebrates 34 years

By Don Gelas

The Frederic Township Volunteer Fire Department is 34 years old, and Ernie Barber has been a member since it began.

At a recent meeting of members of the department, Barber recalled the first fire ever fought by the team. "Brownie's Cabins are on fire," was the call received at 12:30 a.m., October, 1962. "The fire was declared under control within eight minutes of our arrival," Barber said. There was one cabin out of the seven that was burned out, and one had some water damage, he said. "The cabins were located about two blocks south of where the fire department is now located. They were built too close together."

Barber soon shifted the conversation at the meeting, to his team's efforts to constantly improve its techniques.

Fire Chief Dennis Wallace led a discussion about analyzing the recent fire at the John Quintano residence. He noted that firefighters were able to retrieve two boxes of materials from the home, but when they arrived, it was already too risky to carry out much more.

Wallace said it was the first structure fire this year and, "there were also two vehicle fires and two mutual-aid calls to Grayling." It is unusual to have had only one fire so far, since the department had a total of 68 runs last year, and the ambulance had 87. He pointed out that there was one smoke-inhalation case at the recent fire, but the firefighter was treated and released. The only serious injury ever experienced was by an EMT who slipped on ice during an ambulance run and broke a hip. "That was about six years ago," he said.

"The equipment is constantly being updated," Wallace said. A new 3,000-gallon tanker will be delivered in late summer or early fall.

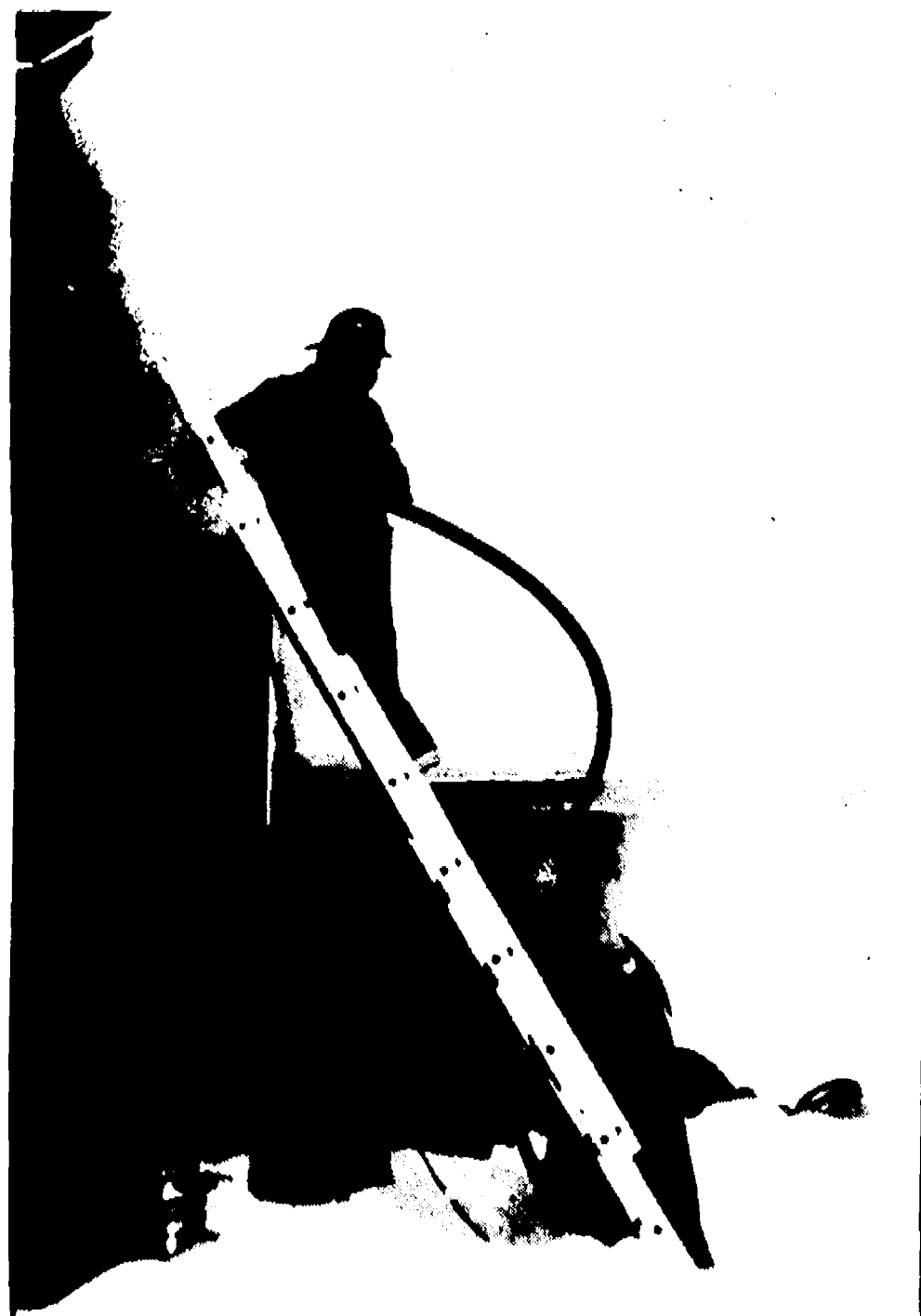
The firefighters at the meeting, turned their attention to the need for new members. It was noted that the volunteers must come from Frederic

or Maple Forest Township, and be 18 years of age, or older. Wallace said, "All training costs are paid by the township, and volunteers are covered by workmen's compensation and life insurance. Maple Forest Township is covered by the Frederic department by contract, and thus new members from that area are encouraged."

Wallace said, "Separate training is necessary for ambulance calls, but firefighters can work only on fire

without the additional optional training." He encouraged individuals to volunteer, noting that five members have obtained full-time jobs through their association with the department.

Prospective members can reach the department by calling the office directly at 348-8190, or by calling Wallace at home at 348-8661. They are welcome to attend the regular department meetings held each Thursday at 8 p.m., at the fire hall.



COLD WORK—Frederic firefighters, Rod Hinkle (top) and Joe Dunckley, fight a stubborn blaze.

Putting together the pieces of her family's history

Robert Blaggett was born in the 1570s in England. He married Mary Whitlock and in April, 1635, the pair crossed the ocean on the ship *Increase* to become settlers in the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

In 1733, Archipus Blodgett, a descendant of Robert and Mary was born.

Archipus fought in the Revolutionary War and founded the town of Stratford, New Hampshire.

George Blodgett, a later descendant and land grant recipient in the Kalamazoo area fought in the Civil War. In 1844, George was the Kalamazoo Highway Commissioner.

Still later, another descendant of Robert Blaggett, married Pastor Dale Hammond, and is today a resident of Frederic.

Judy Hammond began wondering about her family lineage several years ago when she read her great grandmother's obituary. Some of the lady's furniture had ended up in Hammond's home and she began wondering just what kind of a person her great grandmother was.

"I really only wanted to find out which nationalities are in my heritage," Hammond said.

That obituary led to a detailed search of Hammond's family tree where she discovered



I DREAM OF GENEALOGY--Frederic resident Judy Hammond sits before a chart of her family tree that she has been working to fill. Although she has found several dozen ancestors to fill in her chart, Hammond still has a lifetime of work before her.

many family names including, Francisco, Duman, Nuttall, Cray, Briggs, Reinklee, Robbins, Garlitz, Rawn, Shelkey, Alexander, Hughey, Harvey, Thorny, Dagett, Hoard, Porter, Rawell and Blodgett.

When

learned of other distant relatives who were doing the same thing, they combined forces and soon discovered a large amount of information available on the Blodgett limb of the family tree.

Judy Hammond is a 13th generation descendant of Robert and Mary Blaggett.

"Most of the information I've found has been through the Latter Day Saints Family History Center in Traverse City," Hammond said. "Also the Michigan State Library, the Northwestern Michigan College Library and the Gaylord Public Library. Currently I have microfilm records from Utah on order through the Crawford County Library."

Hammond said that genealogy is a very rewarding hobby for those who have the time and patience to put into it.

"It's like putting a puzzle together. Each ancestor is another piece to the puzzle," she said.

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Summary: DEQ meeting on landfill license application

There were a few dominant issues of concern to those people who spoke, and a few questions as described below.

1. ISSUE: Several people expressed concern about out-of-plan waste, as well as out-of-state and Canadian waste coming into the landfill.

RESPONSE: The landfill representatives have admitted taking out-of-plan waste. They were issued a Director's Order to Cease and Desist on 2/22/93, and a Notice of Violation on 10/4/94 for violations of the county plan. The Waste Management Division has cooperated with the Crawford County Prosecutor's Office in its effort to bring the issue to final resolution. CESW has asserted that, following the Chippewa County incident, they ceased accepting out-of-plan, inter-county waste. Although it is difficult to determine with any certainty, we do not have evidence that they have continued to accept out-of-plan waste since that time.

Out of state (including out of country) waste meeting the criteria for municipal solid waste, can legally be brought to this, or any other licensed landfill within the state, according to a Supreme Court decision regarding the Interstate Commerce clause in the Constitution.

2. ISSUE: Flow control in general, and the ability of the county plan to control waste flow into and out of the county was identified as related to issue number 1 above. Some people believe the contingency counties listed in the Crawford plan are sending waste here on a regular basis, and not on a contingency basis at all.

RESPONSE: Although the DEQ has not taken an enforcement action on the issue of contingency county waste importation, we disagree with CESW interpretation of contingency. Since any court action would be protracted, and the environmental benefit law, it has not at this point been a high priority enforcement action. Staff recommended to those concerned, that

a plan amendment defining the term contingency would clarify the issue, making enforcement easier, and that they may want to proceed toward that end.

Both the state Legislature, and the Congress have struggled with proposed legislation dealing with flow control. Whatever occurs at the county level will be subject to those legislative bodies if a law is enacted or amended.

3. ISSUE: The County Prosecutor's opinion on the conflict of interest alleged to have occurred by a County Commissioner regarding the sale of the landfill was submitted for forwarding to the Attorney General's office.

RESPONSE: District staff has read the opinion, and will submit it to the Attorney General's Office if the gentleman who gave it to us will identify which Assistant Attorney General he wishes to have receive it.

4. ISSUE: The issue of hazardous waste was brought up.

RESPONSE: In 1993, the landfill accepted a roll-off for disposal, which contained hazardous waste from Lakeside Stamping in Roscommon County. Staff discovered the violation the following day through a call to the district office. Staff then contacted CESW, who excavated the material the day it was discovered. It was ultimately disposed of in a hazardous waste landfill. CESW signed a Consent Order, paid \$3,000 in penalties and costs, and changed their waste acceptance procedures to inhibit recurrence. WMD considers the matter closed, and has no reason to believe hazardous waste has come into the landfill since that time.

5. ISSUE: Recycling is needed, and would help extend the life of the landfill.

RESPONSE: Staff have worked with this county and others in the district to promote recycling, and will

continue to do so, as long as the citizens are interested. Recycling requires a commitment on the part of any community in order to make it successful. Interested citizens should contact staff to develop a workable plan for recycling in the county.

6. ISSUE: Can the DEQ regulate what waste, and how much comes into the landfill?

RESPONSE: What type of waste can enter this landfill is regulated by the solid waste portion of PA-451, 1994. This landfill is licensed to receive municipal solid waste. So yes, we do regulate what waste comes in. The amount of waste is determined by the design, not by DEQ staff, except as the design generates permit and license approvals.

7. ISSUE: What will happen if CESW/CMS walks away or files bankruptcy, leaving the citizens with landfill problems?

RESPONSE: The state has \$884,000 in post-closure bonds, a one million dollar groundwater cleanup performance bond, plus additional money in the perpetual care fund, which would be used to close and maintain closure of the landfill in such an event. If additional money were provided for by law, we would require it.

8. ISSUE: How is the air stripper working?

RESPONSE: It is working, although some changes are being made to reduce the iron buildup in the pumps by increasing the size of the impellers. The level of iron in the flow produces the clogging effect.

Staff appreciates the interest of those in attendance, and hopes their concerns and questions have been addressed. If you have additional questions, feel free to contact either Virginia Pierce, or John Ozoga at (517) 348-6371.

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GHS wrestlers continue proud tradition of excellence at state championships

Although none of the Grayling High School wrestlers who qualified for the individual state championship tournament held last weekend in Kalamazoo, actually became state champions, all competed to the very best of their individual abilities, and all are assets to a wrestling program deep in the tradition of excellence.



Dale Kniss
#3 in state at 215 pounds

Senior wrestler Dale Kniss, wrestling in the 215 pound division, won four out of five matches against the state's best. Kniss finished his 48-2 season placing third in the state.

Kniss beat wrestlers from Imlay City, Saginaw Swan Valley, Richmond, and Coloma, before losing to Kurt Laroy of Monroe St. Mary C.C.

In his distinguished wrestling career, Kniss was victorious 101

times.

Junior Viking Jason Hall, wrestling in the 135 pound bracket, lost to opponents from Central Montcalm and Richmond. He was victorious versus an opponent from River Rouge.

Hall finished the season with a 36-10 record.

Junior Eddy Davis, 125 pounds, beat an opponent from Essexville Garber, but lost to opponents from Riverview and Spring Lake.

Davis ended his season with a 41-9 record.

Sophomore Ben Malonen, ended his season with a 39-14 record. Malonen lost to opponents from Hamilton and Madison Heights Lamphere.



BOWLING LEAGUE

Recreation League		Computer Services	16-24	City Environmental	15
Fun-N-Sun Rental	25-15	Mac's Drugs	14-26	High Game: D. Henning, 249, R. Michels, 213, T. Kotrash, 201.	
Scheer Motors	24-16	All Seasons Drywall	13-27	High Series: D. Henning, 647, T. Kotrash, 569, R. Michels, 558.	
Mickey Perez CPA	21-19	Men's High Game: R. Sprague, 237, R. Pyle, 212, D. Canfield, 200			
Glen's Market	19-21	Pyle, 580, R. Sprague, 577, R. Hinds, 531.			
Cornell	19-21	Women's High Game: J. Hinds, 200, J. Walde, 195, M. Miller, 193			
Mark 8	18-22	Women's High Series: J. Hinds, M. Miller, 530, D. Ashworth, 501, M. Hawkins, 479.			
Patterson Saw Service	17-23				
North Country R.V.	17-23				
High Game: P. Terry, 210, J. Croze, 205, S. Hinds 196					
High Series: P. Terry, 531, S. Hinds, 522, A. Maitej, 474.					
Senior Citizens League		Pioneer League		Triangle League	
Bucall's	56-40	Aunt Betty's	23-9	Spike's	12-4
Sylvester's	55-41	Custom Interior	20-12	Rosby Const.	11-5
Totten's Body Shop	53-43	Chemical Bank	17-15	Jackson Trio	10-6
Cornell's	47-49	Eagles	17-15	Grayling Ford	9-7
Baynham	45-51	Millikin's	17-15	Barber Const.	6-10
Century 21	45-51	Avalanche	12-20	A. Bulldog Towing	6-10
Flowers by Joie	44-52	Mercy Hospital	12-20	Deb & Dale's	5-11
Larry & Joan's	39-57	M&M Crafts	10-22	JJ's Motor Mall	5-11
Men's High Game: A. Wilde, E. Mullen, 200, H. Dandy, 191					
Men's High Series: H. Ingram, 528, G. Wolfe, 493, A. Wilde, 484.					
Women's High Game: P. Harris, 234, 202, D. Hall, 183, R. Joyce, 173					
Women's High Series: P. Harris, 602, D. Hall, 479, R. Joyce, 466.					
American Mens League		Friday Night Mixed Doubles		Grayling Youth Bowling	
Upper Lakes Tire	12-2	Moshier Auto Repair	34-14	Cowboys	
Red Barn	12-2	No Fear	29-19	Outlaws	13-5-2-5
McLams Hardware	10-4	Advance Collision	28-20	Bounty Hunters	10-6
BCT	9-5	Cedar Motel	23-25	Marshall's	10-6
Stitches by Sue	7-7	A. Bulldog Towing	23-25	Pose	8-5-7-5
Rod's Auto Body	4-10	Aunt Betty's	20-28	Cowgirls	7-9
Auto Parts	2-12	AJD	19-29	Mustangs	7-9
Fenton's Auto Service	0-14	A. H. Rental & Repair	16-32	Young Guns	6-10
High Game: T. Martin, 223, D. Canfield, 213, K. Louchan, 210		Men's High Game: L. Helsel, 195, J. Prosser, 178, M. Sumner, 173		Russlers	2-14
High Series: L. Davis, Jr., 580, K. Louchan, 557, D. Canfield, 554.		Men's High Series: L. Helsel, 565, R. Trudeau, 478, R. Hinds, 462.		Boy's High Game: Nathan Sloan, 176	
Thursday Coffee League		Women's High Game: S. Rioux, 202, J. Hinds, 199, K. Moshier, 184		High Series: Doug Wilhelm, 419.	
Glen's Market	27	Women's High Series: S. Rioux, 543, J. Hinds, 532, K. Moshier, 514.		Girl's High Game: Debbie Harris, 175	
Lone Pine	25-5			High Series: Nikki Strohpaal, 453.	
Johnson's Survey	25				
Bucall's	22				
Wakeley's	21				
Plaza Bar	19-5				
AuSable Construction	18				
Shady Acres	18				
High Game: B. Wakeley, 189, K. Ockerman, 185, S. France, 183					
High Series: S. France, 561, S. Romain, 489, B. Helsel, 488.					
Sunday Night Mixed Doubles		Northwood League		Little Indians	
Us & Them	27-13	House of Cabinets	31	Mohawks	12-0
Glen's Market	27-13	Wakeley's Auto Parts	26	Iroquois	9-3
CSI	25-15	Millikin's	25	Seminole	6-6
M.A.D.S.	19-21	Subway	24	Cheyenne	6-6
Rubideau Const.	19-21	Patt's Towne House	20	Chippewa	6-6
		Rich's Cycle Service	18	Apache	4-8
		Stitch-In-Time	20	Comanche	4-8
		Pearls & Lace	12	Mohegans	1-11
		High Game: J. Dreyfus, 207, S. France, 201, 194, S. Romain, 192		Boy's High Game: Mitchell Salyers, 121	
		High Series: S. France, 561, S. Romain, 489, B. Helsel, 488.		High Series: Mitchell Salyers, 222.	
				Girl's High Game: Danielle Mathey, 120	
				High Series: Danielle Mathey, 231.	
National League		Gold Rush		Grayling Youth Bowling	
Forrest Bros. Inc.	26	Trail Blazers	12-0	Cowboys	
Moore's Automotive	23	Black Smiths	7-5-4-5	Outlaws	13-5-2-5
Breakers Steak House	22	Waggon Masters	7-6	Bounty Hunters	10-6
Budweiser	21	Silver Nuggets	6-6	Marshall's	10-6
House of Cabinets	20	Gold Miners	5-5-6-5	Pose	8-5-7-5
Guns & Grub	17	Mule Skinners	4-8	Cowgirls	7-9
Carquest	16	Forty Niners	3-9	Mustangs	7-9
		Sod Busters	3-9	Young Guns	6-10
		Boy's High Game: Ryan Stahl, 105		Russlers	2-14
		High Series: Travis Guldner, 192.		Boy's High Game: Nathan Sloan, 176	
		Girl's High Game: Darcie Lovely, 98		High Series: Doug Wilhelm, 419.	
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GRAYLING BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Spike's.....8-2
Fox Const./Hinkle RE/MAX.....6-4
Patti's/Camp Grayling.....6-4
Holiday Inn.....5-5
Big Boy/Sylvester's.....3-7
Weyerhaeuser.....2-8

Spike's 86—Patterson 46, Church 17, Thompson 10, Kolka 5, J. Gardiner 4, Potter 2, T. Gardiner 2; Fox Const./Hinkle RE/MAX 82—Ryckman 29, Hinkle 17, Fox 16, Burrell 9, Swope 5, Harland 4, Burkett 2.

Big Boy/Sylvester's 84—Jung 40, Abney 27, Fortino 12, Malinowski 4; Patti's/Camp Grayling 80—Doremire 22, Juntilla 13, Bonamie 11, Trudgeon 11, White 8, Latusek 8, Dannenburg 7.

Holiday Inn 77—Hamlin 17, Simons 17, Mertes 13, Dean 10, Weaver 8, Smith 6, Weiler 4; Weyerhaeuser 73—Hull 14, Trenary 13, Grant 12, Ruddy 11, Kelley 11, Dandy 10, Gothro 2.

Top Scorers: Patterson 27.9, Ryckman 21.7, Jung 21.7, Abney 20.5, Church 18, Simons 15.6, Mertes 14.7, Juntilla 13.7, Shepler 13.7, Trenary 13.6.

3-point Leaders: Patterson 58, Simons 28, Jung 21, Dannenburg 20, Fox 19.

Free Throw Percent: Juntilla 87.2%, White 80%, Burkett 80%, R. Tobin 78.5%, Thompson 78.5%.

Foul Leaders: Trudgeon 39, Weaver 37, Burrell 36, Watie 28, T. Gardiner 27.

Championship game for single-elimination tournament is 9 p.m. Thursday, March 21.

Grayling Youth Bowling update

On Jan. 13, the Grayling Youth Bowling League held a bowl-a-thon for St. Jude's Hospital for Children, headed by Vivian Stanton. Six youths participated and raised donations in the amount of \$420.70. Several Grayling businesses donated prizes for the participants: Kmart donated a pair of bowling shoes, Glen's donated a movie, Grayling Auto Parts Center donated \$10, Legion Lanes donated \$5, and local youth association donated \$5. The youths were Jessica Gofnick, Brian Stevens, Darcie Lovely, Jim (Bud Man) Miller, Rob Cox and Carmen Romain.

The Grayling Youth Bowling League awards banquet will be held Saturday, March 23, at 3 p.m. at the Grayling High School Auditorium. Western dress. Bring a dish to pass (no chips). Main course is chuck-waggon steak, prairie chicken, corn, hard-lack coffee and cactus juice.

Hunting & Fishing Weekly Update

Warmer days ahead!

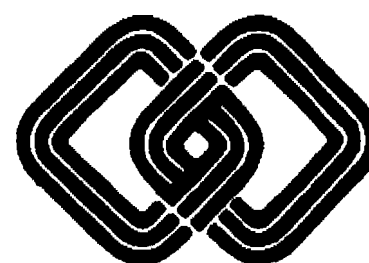
This Friday is the last for the walleye and northern pike season. It will re-open again April 27, so we will be looking forward to that date. The ice fishing for panfish should be the best of the winter from now until the ice goes out. The perch have been biting quite well on Bradford Lake in 50 to 60 feet of water; also lots of smelt on Higgins Lake. They seem to be doing well off the west public access, sometimes all day long.

Rabbit season goes on until the end of March, and the hunters have been seeing some rabbits all around the county. Most of the time you still need snowshoes, at least for now.



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MTH 336	College Algebra	Tuesday
PHL 302	Ethics	Tuesday
COM 122	College Writing II	Wednesday King
ECO 201	Macroeconomics	Wednesday
MGT 300	Principles of Management	Thursday Csapo
MKT 316	Sales Management	Thursday Palda
MTH 136	Fundamentals of College Math	Thursday Glaza

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GMS wrestlers win medals

At Sanford-Meridian High School on Saturday, March 9, the following middle school wrestlers were medal winners: In the 11- and 12-year age grouping, Chris Peters placed first and Shawn Ferrigan was second at heavyweight. In the 13-14-year age group, Matt Evon placed second at 85 pounds, Josh Niederer placed first at 107 pounds, and Bret Holborn was third at 122 pounds.

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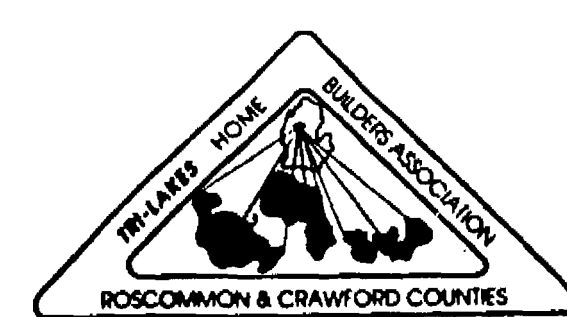
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Future of AuSable is main focus of group

By Linda Sherwood
Staff Writer

The possibility of pollution and a lack of nutrients and cover for trout in the AuSable River is a growing concern for a number of people in the area, who have been meeting to discuss the future of the river.

The group's ultimate goal is to create a watershed council that will provide long-term management for the AuSable River.

Jim Williams, organizer of the meetings said, "In the future, if we are going to be successful at managing natural resources, then it will be through local institutions that have a

direct voice in establishing policy as an equal partner with the state regulatory agencies and local governments, along with the authority to generate local revenue to help implement that policy."

All of the present water resource laws in Michigan apply to water once it reaches the ultimate destination, whether it be lake, stream or wetland. There is no legal precedent for the management of surface water from the origin to the destination as a resource to sustain the quality of a river system, according to Williams.

"It is virtually impossible to manage the watercourse on a sustained basis, without managing the watershed," said Williams.

The number of brown trout are dropping sharply according to studies done by the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). Populations of almost 600 fish in 1972, measuring 8-11.9", at some sights along the river are now down to 100 in 1994.

Approximately 50 people representing organizations such as the DNR, the AuSable River Restoration Committee, Trout Unlimited, chambers of commerce and area governments were invited to participate.

The group, the AuSable River Advisory Council, is working under the auspices of the Huron Pines RC&D.

At the group's organizational meeting in August 1996, a consensus on the group's goals and how to achieve them was established after much discussion.

"Based upon the inherent characteristics of the river, it was suggested that the primary value of the Upper AuSable River is for outdoor recreation," said Williams. "To maintain the quality of outdoor recreation, the river should be managed as a Blue Ribbon Trout Stream."

"It was generally agreed that the late 1960's and early 1970's were a time when fishing satisfaction was considered good, therefore those years should be used for comparative analysis, and the action plan should be designed to restore the river, if possible, to that quality of fishing," said Williams.

There are two components of the study. The first is gathering and analyzing historical data. The second is assessing the current chemical, biological and physical characteristics of the Upper AuSable River.

Four proposals to improve the river have already been drafted, but have not yet been finalized. Some of the study's objectives are to identify environmental factors causing the decline in the larger trout, and attempting to restore the quality of fishing by experimentally modifying physical and chemical habitat features of the river. The group hopes to impact the river and have noticeable improvement by 1998 or sooner.

During 1996, data will be assembled and analyzed to establish an historical baseline. Data will also be collected and analyzed to define the present condition of the river for comparison with past conditions, and also to measure the effects of adding organic material and woody debris to experimental sections of the river on the Mainstream and North Branch scheduled to begin in 1997.

Throughout the term of the study, the food chain, the stream morphology and plant growth will be assessed along with the water chemistry at several points on all branches to formalize a long-term strategy for managing the river.

There is also an economic impact study proposed to measure the effects of the AuSable River on the economy,

which is necessary to develop strategies for the long-term management of the watershed. The economic study will also look at the changing land use patterns in order to develop a long-term strategy.

Northeast Michigan is one of the fastest growing areas, with a rate that is 10 times that of the rest of the state, said Williams. The population of the northeast region of the state has increased by 39.1 percent compared to Michigan's population increase of 4.7 percent since 1970. Nationally, population has increased by 22.3 percent.

"We need county government to develop the policy and enact the ordinances to help manage future growth in the watershed," said Williams.

The group needs about \$30,000 in order to get the project operating this Spring, said Williams. The entire project will cost approximately \$600,000. Sources of funding are still being researched. National foundations are being looked at to help fund the study.

GHS Project Graduation to meet March 13

GHS Project Graduation '96 will meet Wednesday, March 13, at 7 p.m., at Grayling High School.

Any businesses or individuals that were planning to donate to this worthwhile cause, and haven't done so yet, now is the time. Graduation day is getting closer and the committees are ready to shop for food, prizes, decorations, and anything else needed for this fun night for the '96 graduating seniors.

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Hospice of Michigan is sponsoring a one-day seminar for hospice professionals and others who care for people with AIDS.

The program, Creating a Continuum of Care: Hospice as an Integral Part of AIDS Care, will be offered on March 22 in Gaylord at Treetops Sylvan Resort.

The program each day runs from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. The \$20 fee includes lunch. Scholarships are available for people living with HIV and the staff of rural or nonprofit AIDS

service organizations.

The seminar will be presented by Tom Grothe, RN, MA, MFCC. A hospice nurse for more than 14 years, Grothe has bachelor's degrees in biology and nursing and a master's in psychology. He has been charge nurse at the Coming Home Hospice in San Francisco for seven years. He also does private marriage, family and child counseling, specializing in helping people cope with chronic and terminal illness and multiple loss.

Grothe founded the national AIDS


Hospice Training program, and has spoken and published nationally on hospice and HIV issues. He received the 1995 Educator of the Year award from the National Hospice Organization.

The seminar will cover various topics including application of the hospice philosophy to care of people with AIDS; palliative care for patients with AIDS; opportunistic infections and symptom control issues; neuro-

psychiatric issues of people living with AIDS; lifestyle and cultural sensitivity training; and ways to work with active substance abuse.

The conference is made possible by a grant from the Michigan AIDS Fund.

For registration information, call the education department at Hospice of Michigan in Southfield at (810) 559-9209 or in Grand Rapids at (616) 454-1426, or the Hospice office in Gaylord at (517) 732-2151.



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The utility reminds its customers to keep gas and electric meters clear of snow and ice buildup. Whenever possible, sidewalks, stairways and gate areas should be kept free of ice and snow. For indoor meters, the path should be kept clutter-free and well-lit to help spot potential hazards.

Snow and ice can often hide

potentially-hazardous situations. A clear path and barrier-free meter location helps meter readers do their job efficiently and safely.

"These steps will make the meters easier to read, therefore reducing the need for estimating your actual energy usage," said Barbara A. Henton, gas services manager for the utility. "As a result, our readers will provide efficient and accurate reads in a safe work environment."

As an additional safety precaution, customers are encouraged to secure dogs away from all meters. Statistics

reveal that most utility and delivery personnel confront an angry animal four times a day.

Consumers Power has approximately 3.2 million gas and electric meters. Of that total, approximately 6 percent are not read due to an obstruction such as ice, snow, dogs, severe weather or meters located inside the homes or businesses.

"Customers can make a big difference in helping us do our jobs safely," added Henton. "The simple things they do to assist us can mean the difference between an injury-free visit and an accident."

FOOTNOTES FROM THE HILLS

Grayling Recreation Authority News

By Cindy Olson

Spring Schedule

Downhill ski schedule is as follows: Saturday, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cross country is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days a week. Grooming guaranteed on Saturday and Sunday only.

Adult Co-ed Volleyball

Come join us on Thursday evenings, at 7:30 p.m., at the high school gym for adult co-ed volleyball. Everyone is welcome.

Roller Blade Pictures

Roller blade pictures will be taken Thursday, March 14, at the ALC gym.

Please be sure to arrive a half hour before your scheduled game and remember to bring your form and money to the photo session. Forms will be available at the ALC on day of photo shoot.

March Family Fun Night

March 16 is March Family Fun Night. Wear green and pay half price for lift tickets and rental. Enjoy a meal deal in our snack bar, or just come and enjoy the bonfire.

Booster Club Day

Sunday, March 17, is Booster Club Day from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Any Booster Club member families may ski for \$5,

rental is additional. Sledding and skating is free.

Looking Ahead

April 6: Breakfast with the Easter Bunny and Easter egg hunt.

April 8: T-ball and youth softball begins.

April 27: Equipment Swap.

May 4: Hanson Hills clean up.

May 7: Adult softball begins.

May 11: Kite day.

May 18: Youth softball begins.

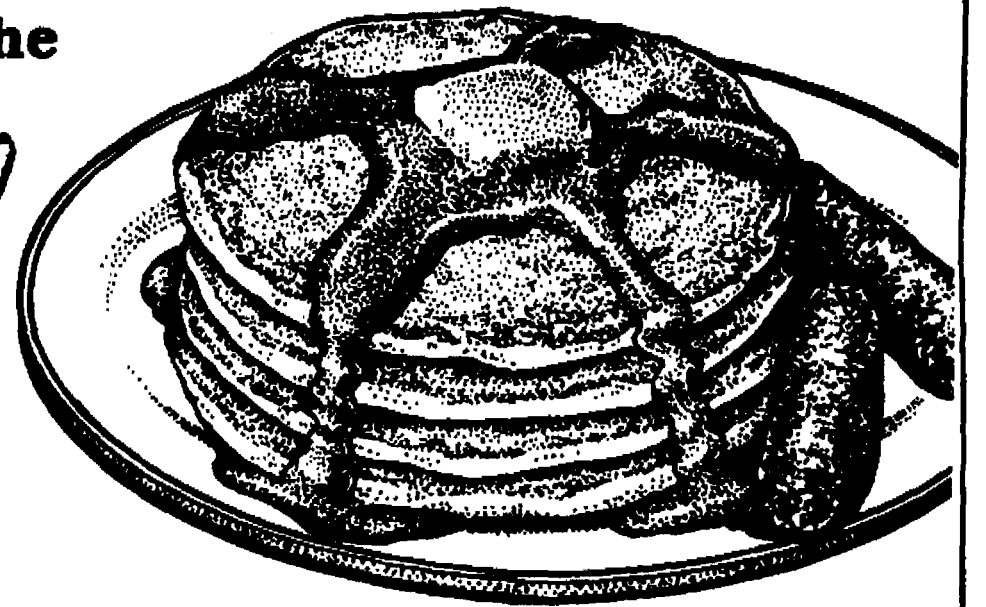
June 1: Hanson Hills Challenge trail run.

June: Summer playground.

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Dying star, Mira, at its brightest

Michigan Sky watchers should look for Mira, a dying star in the constellation of Cetus, the Whale, just after dark on March evenings, according to U-M astronomer Richard Teske.

"Mira is the brightest and best-known of a class of stars called long-period variables," Teske said. "These are old stars that undergo huge fluctuations in brightness as they near the end of their lives. Invisible to the unaided eye most of the time, Mira brightens to easy visibility every 332 days, and lingers for several weeks. This year, it reaches maximum light on March 11, and can be seen in the western sky after dark for much of the month."

Mira received its name, which means "The Wonderful," from a Dutch clergyman who discovered its brightness variations 400 years ago. It is located in a dim region of the sky

without easy star landmarks to guide observers. This month, however, the brilliant planet Venus provides a dependable beacon pointing to Mira.

"Look for Venus almost halfway up the western sky just after dusk falls; it is the brightest 'star' there," Teske said. "Mira is below Venus and to its left, about halfway between Venus and the horizon. If sky conditions are not perfect, binoculars may help to locate Mira. When the sky is very dark, observers will notice that Mira is about the same brightness as the North Star, Polaris."

Mira is a favorite of amateur astronomers; almost every telescope owner has observed its brightness changes at some time. The American Association of Variable Star Observers in Cambridge, Massachusetts—a group that is in touch with amateurs worldwide, annually receives over 800 reports of Mira's astronomical

magnitude from hundreds of backyard observers. With the help of countless amateur contributors, the association keeps track of the brightness fluctuations of thousands of variable stars, relieving professional astronomers of an otherwise oppressive task.

About 6,000 long-period variable stars like Mira have been officially listed, all but a handful of them too faint to be seen without a telescope. Enormous numbers of them remain anonymous.

"These are ancient stars, many older than our sun, that have burned up the hydrogen fuel in their interiors. Such stars react to the loss of their principal energy supply by swelling enormously," Teske explained. "Mira and the long-period variables like it are several hundred times the size of our sun. If one of them were placed at the center of the solar system, it would

engulf the orbit of Earth.

"Other changes deep within these swelling, aging stars cause them to begin to pulsate sluggishly. The heaving of their pulsations gradually grows until, after hundreds of thousands of years, they cast their outer layers spasmodically into space around them revealing the glaring core of the star itself, surrounded by a slowly-expanding envelope of gas, called a nebula, that gradually dissipates in a few tens of thousands of years."

So far, Mira has reached an early stage of instability and has begun to pulsate, according to Teske. This accounts for its periodic fluctuations in brightness. Astronomical observations show that it is beginning to lose some of the gases from its outermost levels, but has not yet reached the point of wholesale ejection of those layers. How long it will be before that happens is unknown.

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Program benefits Salvation Army

PeopleCare donations and utility-bill credits are among the limited resources available to The Salvation Army in its struggle to manage endless problems. Midway through this year's PeopleCare campaign, Consumers Power Company reported that contributions are lagging 14 percent behind last year, prompting concern among salvationists.

"There's not that much cash available floating around town to help the many people who are truly in need," said Virginia Fetterman of the Jackson County Salvation Army. "A lot of people are desperate for help."

"Thanks to the PeopleCare program, we are able to assist many who might otherwise be denied. When the funding for this program declines, our resources are greatly impacted," Fetterman added.

A program operated jointly by Consumers Power Company and The Salvation Army, PeopleCare dollars provide shelter, clothing, food or other emergency help, including energy-bill assistance.

The campaign kicks off in January, when Consumers Power customers and employees are asked to check a box pledging a \$5 or \$10 donation to be added to their February bill. To date, the utility has received \$359,045 in pledges, compared to \$416,902 received midway through the 1995 campaign.

"We're certainly concerned," said Major Charles McCarthy, general secretary for the Eastern Michigan Division of The Salvation Army. "Need has no season. Our Christmas 1995 Kettle donations were down significantly, while the number of families needing assistance continues to climb."

"The Consumers Power PeopleCare Program is helping The Salvation Army offer hope to families and children across Michigan. We appreciate those who have supported the program in the past and encourage them and others to show their generosity to this very worthwhile program."

Last year's PeopleCare effort raised

\$444,974, assisting more than 6,000 families. Since the first campaign in 1983, PeopleCare has raised more than \$4.5 million in direct contributions and provided an additional \$6.3 million in energy-bill credits.

This year, Consumers Power will provide \$1.5 million in bill credits for low-income customers who need help paying for their electric or natural-gas service. Bill credits became available on Dec. 1, 1995, through The Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army is one of the oldest nonprofit organizations providing social-service assistance in the United States. The organization was selected by Consumers Power to distribute funds raised by the PeopleCare campaign because of its experience in screening applicants and processing aid.

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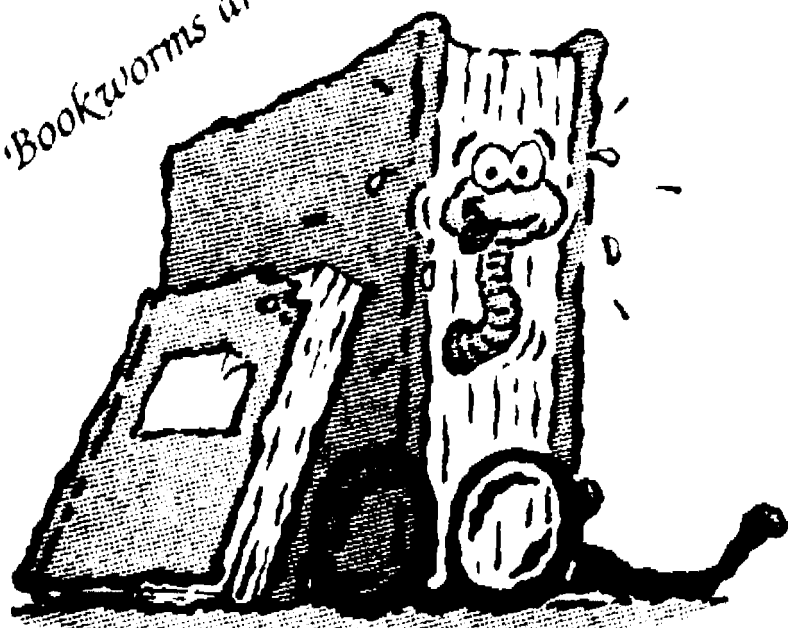
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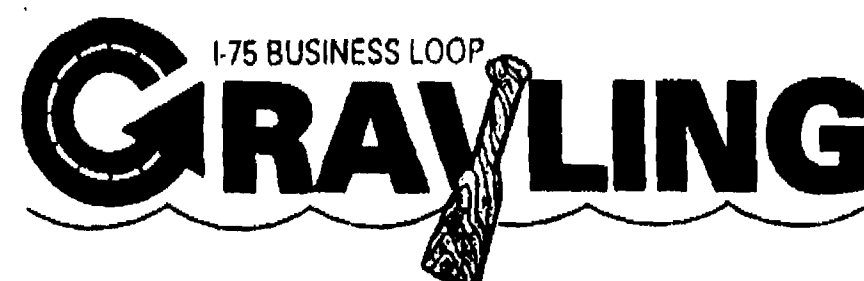


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A WINNING IDEA -- As part of the February Family Week observance, Grayling Rotary Club invited the Grayling and Frederic Elementary students to create and submit a poster that conveys the theme, "How to Make the World a Better Place to Live." The winning poster was submitted by Michael Rosen. His poster was sent to Rotary International to be judged in the worldwide contest. Michael received a \$50 savings bond from the Grayling Rotary Club for his local winning poster. Michael is a 4th grade student at Grayling Elementary School.

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Winter fun? Avoid Michigan's railroad tracks

Railroad tracks can be a dangerous place for winter sports and recreation enthusiast. While out hiking, hunting, cross-country skiing or snowmobiling, many Michigan residents and visitors risk their lives by trespassing on railroad property, Michigan Operation Lifesaver said recently.

Winter is a great time to enjoy Michigan's beautiful outdoors. For many, that means snowmobiling, hiking, hunting, or cross-country skiing. While out, always remember to stay well away from railroad tracks along the way. Walking or riding on railroad property is trespassing, and very dangerous.

"We want to remind everyone enjoying Michigan's outdoors of the dangers of getting too close to the tracks. Last year, nearly one thousand Americans were killed or seriously injured while trespassing along railroad tracks," said Patrick M. Nowak, chairperson, Michigan Operation Lifesaver. "Please stay away from the tracks. We want to keep your Michigan winter adventures safe and fun."

Trespasser prevention is a high priority for Michigan Operation Lifesaver. The Michigan Railroads Association began a public-education program in 1994, that continues today

with the theme, "Know the Facts, Avoid the Tracks." Michigan Operation Lifesaver has been involved in numerous efforts in the last two years to try and reduce trespassing, including the ongoing production of four public-service announcements (PSAs) as part of the "Don't Wreck Your Life" campaign, radio feeds to every station in the state in 1994, a news release to all media last summer, and providing all Michigan radio stations with PSAs on railroad trespassing during winter-recreation activities.

"Everyone needs to remember that railroad property is not a playground and is a dangerous shortcut," said Michigan Railroads Association President Bob Chapnick. "For your own safety, please only cross the tracks at marked crossings."

Operation Lifesaver is a nationwide, non-profit public education and information program designed to reduce the number of crashes, injuries and deaths at rail crossings. Michigan Operation Lifesaver is a partnership of the Michigan Department of Transportation, Michigan State Police, Michigan Railroad Association, AAA of Michigan and the individual railroads.

Need federal tax forms?

"Need a tax form or information to prepare your federal income tax return? The IRS has a variety of ways to give you the help you need," said IRS District Director Arlene Kay.

"Many post offices and libraries stock basic tax forms," Kay said. "Some libraries also have books of reproducible forms that can be photocopied, and others now have the forms and publications on CD-ROM."

Kay said there are also several ways to get forms without leaving home. Taxpayers can call a toll-free number during regular business hours and have forms and publications mailed directly to them. That number is (800) 829-3676. The IRS also has a new service that offers 57 of the most commonly-used forms via fax machine, seven days a week, 24 hours a day. Use the voice unit of the fax machine to dial the service at (703) 487-4160. This is

not a toll-free number, individuals will pay for the call.

Taxpayers with personal computers also have several ways to get forms and publications. Internet users can download them from the IRS's World Wide Web page, and those with a PC and modem can dial into the Internal Revenue Information Service (IRIS) bulletin board system. The address for accessing the web page is <http://irs.ustreas.gov>. IRIS can be dialed on (703) 321-8020.

There is also a 1995 Federal Tax Forms CD-ROM available from the Government Printing Office's superintendent of documents. The 3-issue subscription is \$46, and can be ordered by calling (202) 512-1800.

"IRS is committed to providing Michigan taxpayers with quality assistance and service," Kay said.

Arts and Science fair set for Saturday, March 16

Science projects will be on display at the Grayling Middle School cafeteria on Saturday, March 16, when the Crawford AuSable Community Education Program sponsors the 1996 district-wide Science and Arts Fair.

Projects will be on display from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, featuring the work of individuals from grades 6-12. Students have been working on their projects since early February.

On Friday afternoon, entrants will deliver and set up their projects for judging. A panel of judges will evaluate all projects that evening.

This year's fair committee consists of Melissa Stone, middle school teacher; John Sullivan, high school teacher; Larry Austin, middle school teacher; Mike Dean, high school teacher; Karen Langseth and R.J. Hannan. The committee has been meeting since December reviewing the handbook and planning this year's event.

Parents and entrants are reminded that displays must be picked up between 12 noon and 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 16.

Mummenschanz brings fantasy, mystery and humor to Interlochen

The famed Swiss mask and mime troupe known around the world for their silent artistry comes to Interlochen Center for the Arts for a return performance Monday, March 18. The 7:30 p.m. performance will be held in Corson Auditorium as part of the Interlochen Arts Festival.

For tickets and information, call the box office at (616) 276-6230.

The New York Times calls Mummenschanz a show "for children who think they are adults and for adults who still believe they are children at heart." The 3-member group is talented

to the core, using acrobatics, contortionism, balance, dance, mimicry and a variety of other abilities to convey their message of life. They tell stories that are filled with wit and whimsy without uttering a word, touching all emotions and creating surprise at every moment, accompanied by constant chuckles that roll through the audience.

After 21 years, Mummenschanz continues to delight and amaze their audiences around the world and "Parade" is their most delightful and thought-provoking show yet.

'96 GHS yearbook now on pre-sale

The Grayling High School '96 yearbook *Life To Tell*, is on pre-sale. The yearbook costs \$27.50, which includes name embossing on the front cover.

Individuals can reserve their copies by sending checks written to Grayling High School, to: Grayling High School, 1135 Old US-27 North, Grayling, MI 49738, Attn: Nancy Lemmen, SAGA adviser.

The yearbook is created by the SAGA staff, 21 students in grades nine through 12.

The editor-in-chief, senior Jenni Richardson, has been involved in the publication of the yearbook since her

sophomore year.

"Working on the yearbook staff is hard work, but it pays off in the end when we win awards from respected associations like the Michigan Interscholastic Press Association (MIPA) and the Columbia Scholastic Press Association," said Richardson.

The '95 SAGA won the highest awards possible from two associations: a Spartan from MIPA and a Buckeye from the Great Lakes Interscholastic Press Association.

"My SAGA staff's attention to design and journalistic quality means that this year's yearbook is a must have," said Richardson.

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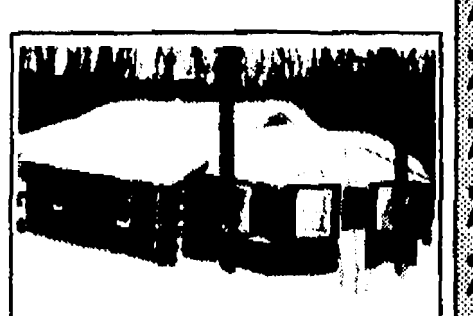
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KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE is seeking a part-time instructor for its secretarial science department to teach courses including word processing using WordPerfect 6.1 for Windows, keyboarding, and filing & records management during the fall, 1996 semester. Bachelors or associate degree preferred; experience in the field will be considered in lieu of educational requirements. Interested applicants should submit letter of application, resume, unofficial college transcripts, and list of three references to Kathy Barber, Coordinator of Personnel & Business Services, Kirtland Community College, 10775 N. St. Helen Road, Roscommon, MI 48653, (517) 275-5121, ext 239. -14-21/3

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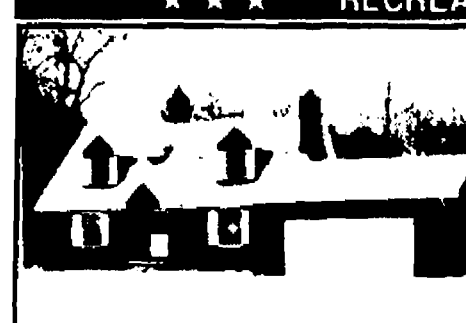
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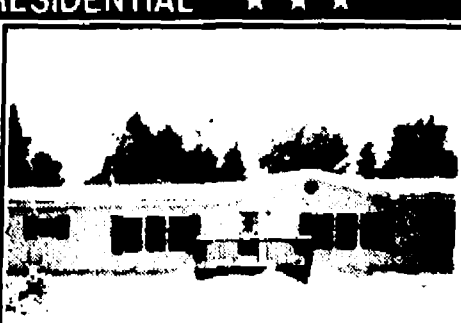
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PRICE REDUCED - Mobile home in the country on 2.73 acres. Mobile home is located five miles from Roscommon. Home has two bedrooms, one bath, 2-car garage, gazebo. Close to state land and AuSable River. \$42,500. BSO-206



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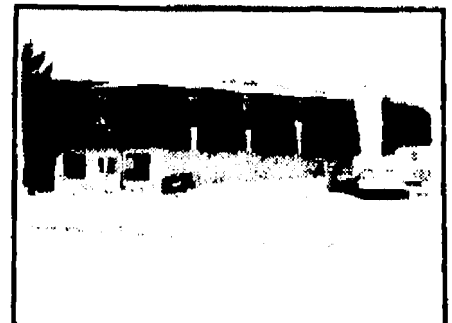
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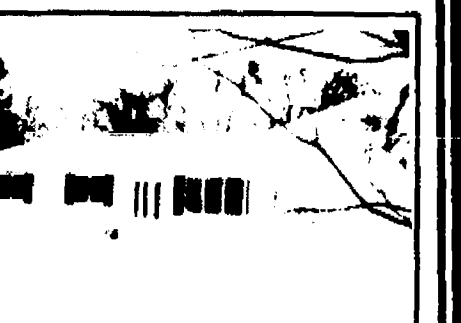
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1,800 sq. ft. business area in the lower level and an 1,800 sq. ft. home on the upper level with a 24x40 garage, all sitting on 2.5 acres. \$95,000. #3817



Just Listed Near AuSable River

Extremely well built, two bedroom, one bath home with full basement. Home is situated in 10.10 acres, has a 24x24 detached garage and is only about 1/4 mile from the AuSable River. \$58,000. #3822



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AuSable River "Rayburn Lodge"

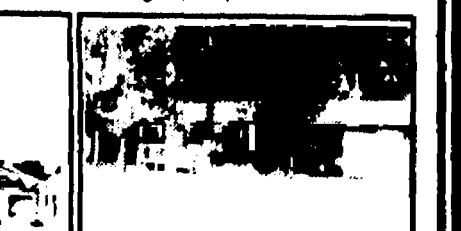
4,500 sq. ft. lodge offering five large bedrooms, great room featuring a 2-story, full-stone fireplace, 480 sq. ft. caretaker's cottage and 14 acres of land with approx. 300' of river frontage. \$395,000. #3315



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9. Personals

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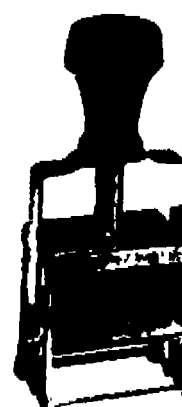
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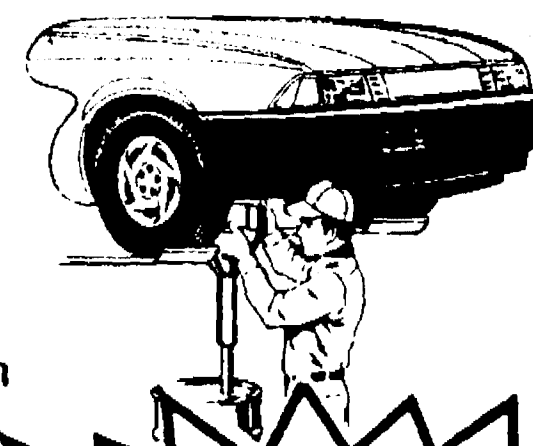
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FACTS AND FEATURES

YOUR HOROSCOPE

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast For: March 10 -16, 1996

ARIES You don't need to settle for anything less than the best. Keep your expectations high!

TAURUS Showcase your assets. Don't sell yourself short. April 20 - May 20 Demonstrate pride in all your abilities.

GEMINI You will need to put your best foot forward if you expect to advance in your current position. May 21 - June 20 Be assertive.

CANCER Look ahead, not back. The best things in life are yet to come. A great new adventure lies in store! June 21 - July 22

LEO Severing old ties is often unavoidable and always painful. Keep your chin up and your head high. July 23 - Aug 22

VIRGO Your expertise in financial matters will be called upon to regulate resources at work. Be precise. Aug 23 - Sept 22

LIBRA Taking on additional work could fatten your bank account, but don't overdo it. Know your limitations. Sept 23 - Oct 22

SCORPIO Show more affection to your loved ones. Everyone needs a little extra attention, now and then. Oct 23 - Nov 21

SAGITTARIUS This is a good time to undertake difficult domestic duties. Start your Spring cleaning early. Nov 22 - Dec 21

CAPRICORN Before investing in a great new venture, be sure that it is not just some fly-by-night operation. Do your homework. Dec 22 - Jan 19

AQUARIUS Good friends come to the rescue. Allow them to help, it will make you both feel better. Jan 20 - Feb 18

PISCES Don't pay top dollar for anything right now. An Feb 19 - March 20 "offer you can't refuse" will turn up very soon.

A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

23 years ago March 15, 1973

The Grayling Vikings placed two players on the Michigan Huron Shores Conference all-conference team for the 1972-73 season. Dan McIsaac, 6'3" senior, and Wayne Westervelt, 6'2" junior, were given first-team honors, as the Vikings finished fourth in league standings in their first year in the M-HSC.

Bonnie Kequom, Grayling High School junior, daughter of Frank and Phyllis Kequom of Frederic, has recently been selected to participate in the Suicase Theatre tour for 1973. During the summer months, Bonnie and other members of this unique organization will be performing throughout the Netherlands, Germany, Belgium, England, Wales, Canada and the United States.

Marine Cpl. Robert C. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Laurent of Grayling, was awarded a Meritorious Mast while serving at the Marine Corps Base, Camp LeJeune, North Carolina. A Meritorious Mast is a personal commendation from the commanding officer.

Following regional competition, the state's top eight teams met at Thunder Mt. to ski against each other. West Bloomfield Hills, Iron Mountain and Grayling finished tops in Class A, B and C. Top skier for the Vikings was Bruce King with an eighth in slalom, Kevin Zimmerman finished 14th in the grand slalom, with Dennis Theaker placing highest in the combined statistics with a 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler of Flint, are happy over the arrival of a baby boy on Feb. 5. He weighed 9 pounds, 12 ounces at birth and has been named David Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Denewett of Grayling are the maternal grandparents.

Joy and Keith Bobenmoyer from New Jersey, were home for the weekend of the 23rd of February, coming to help celebrate Joy's parents, Jack and Joan Rasmussen's 21st wedding anniversary.

On Sunday, March 4, a surprise birthday party was held for Judy Campbell of California, given by her five sisters of Grayling, at the home of their mother, Mr. Willard Harwood.

Earl Wood reported seeing three robins in his back yard on Friday morning. Must be spring is just around the corner after all.

Ken and Margaret Chappell have returned home from Long Beach, California, where they had spent about five weeks. Ken is recuperating at

home, having suffered a heart attack while in California. He is coming along fine now.

Black & White Market has on sale this week: fresh salads; potato, all bean, macaroni and baked beans, 49¢ a pound; Lake Erie smelt, 59¢ a pound; fish sticks, 8 ounce package, 25¢; Charmin napkins, 40 count, 10¢; head lettuce, 29¢; and Pillsbury gravy mixes, 5¢ a package.

46 years ago March 16, 1950

Earl Burns, immediate past president of the Grayling Kiwanis Club, and Charles E. Moore, past Lieut. Governor of the Eighth Division of Kiwanis, were honored Monday night at the club's annual "Flowers to the Living Award."

Skyline gave the perfect setting for a winter party Thursday evening when Ralph Morse showed his fine spirit of hospitality by offering his ski club for an evening of fun. Les Hunter, fine promoter of several parties, got a crowd of over 40 people together for the pot luck, with music furnished by Kermit LaMotte.

Forty-eight men and women entered a mixed-doubles tournament at Spike's Recreation alleys last Friday. Many fine games were rolled, and a few not so good were registered also. Several husbands faces were red afterwards as they lost the bowling series to their wives.

You'll have to stay up quite late this year to welcome the arrival of spring on March 20. It will be nearly six hours later than in 1949. The exact time of the arrival will be 11:36 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pochelon and Julie entertained 11 of Julie's friends over the weekend. They were all guests of the Shoppenagon in Grayling, and enjoyed tobogganing while there.

Gene A. Crawford, seaman, U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford, visited two continents, Europe and Africa, during February, while serving as a crew member aboard the light cruiser U.S.S. Roanoke.

Miss Donna Carlson was one of the students from the Edward W. Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, to receive her cap at the capping ceremony held on March 10. Her mother, Mrs. Ed Carlson, was in attendance and Miss Donna accompanied her to Grayling and spent the weekend.

Little Sharron Kay Madsen celebrated her birthday on March 11, and her mother invited in five little boys and girls in honor of the occasion. Sharron is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Madsen.



PUPPIES NEED HOMES-These golden retriever/mix puppies are eight weeks old, and would love to have new homes to go to. If you would like to give them a home, or any of the other animals at the shelter, stop by the Animal Shelter of Crawford County, or give them a call at 348-4117.

PET CARE TIPS

During the winter, extra bedding will help your dog hold body heat inside his kennel, and heavy pieces of carpet attached to the top of the entrance will cut down on drafts, says the Animal Protection Institute. But check for dangerous nails and hooks. Avoid using old rugs for bedding — your dog will track in moisture on his feet that can turn to ice.

The Grayling Independent Basketball team will play the Essexville Beer Store team at Handy High School, Bay City, Saturday evening. Playing with them will be Jack Trudeau and Jim Feldhauser.

The Earl Hewitts of Bay City, visited Mrs. Thomas Cassidy on Sunday. The family enjoyed a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgeon, who left for New Orleans and other southern points.

Little Miss Karen Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hanson, celebrated her birthday on March 7, and her mother invited in 10 of her playmates to help celebrate. The children played games and prizes were won by Patsy Wiseman, Linda Smock, Nancy Wilcox and Carmen Madsen.

Friends surprised Barney Sajdak, proprietor of the AuSable Hotel, Monday evening, with a birthday party. Shuffleboard was very much enjoyed during the evening. A delicious lunch was served.

Barney Sajdak celebrated Sunday by bowling a 789 series in the singles city tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haefka and the Ray Dubys have been enjoying a visit of Don McCormicks, their son and Mrs. Duby's brother. Don came as a surprise Thursday morning. He has been serving Uncle Sam in the Navy for a number of years, and this is the first visit home in several years.

69 years ago March 17, 1927

The following won the village election held Monday evening: Hans Peterson, president; Roy Milnes, clerk; Carl Jensen, treasurer; James W. Sorenson, assessor; Thomas Cassidy, George W. McCullough and Grant Shaw trustees.

Fred Lamm, who is employed in Monroe, spent the weekend here visiting friends. Mr. Lamm was formerly employed as mechanic at Burke's Garage.

R. H. Gilbert returned Tuesday from a business trip to Bay City, accompanied by Charles F. Tomlinson, whom he hired as filer for the Grayling Dowel and Tie Plug Company.

First of the week gave us the balmiest spring day one can imagine in March. The snow was pretty well gone last week and rains Saturday and Sunday night completed the job. But water played havoc with some of the roads. The new stretch on M-14 north of Roscommon, was pretty well washed out and cars had to travel the old

detour and that was in bad condition. Highways have suffered all over Michigan.

Scott Wylie was downtown for the first time Tuesday, after spending the winter at his home nursing a broken leg.

Rex. Badder and Clyde Highlen of Frederic, visited the primary department at school last week.

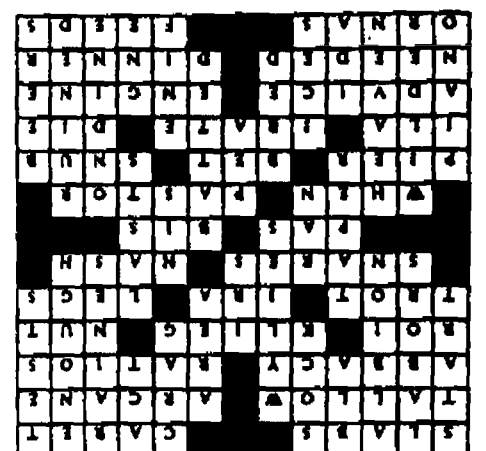
Those at the Frederic school having 100 percent in spelling last week were Delta Weaver, Lester Highlen, Elizabeth and Eddie Sturdivant, Lewis Murphy, Floyd Ensign, Florence Sturdivant, Liwyn Doremire, Helen Badder, Liland Charron and Reva Burke.

Wm. Boatwright and son, Bill, have moved to Lovells.

John Heric has broken camp in Lewiston, and has returned to Lovells.

WEEKEND CROSSWORD

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWERS



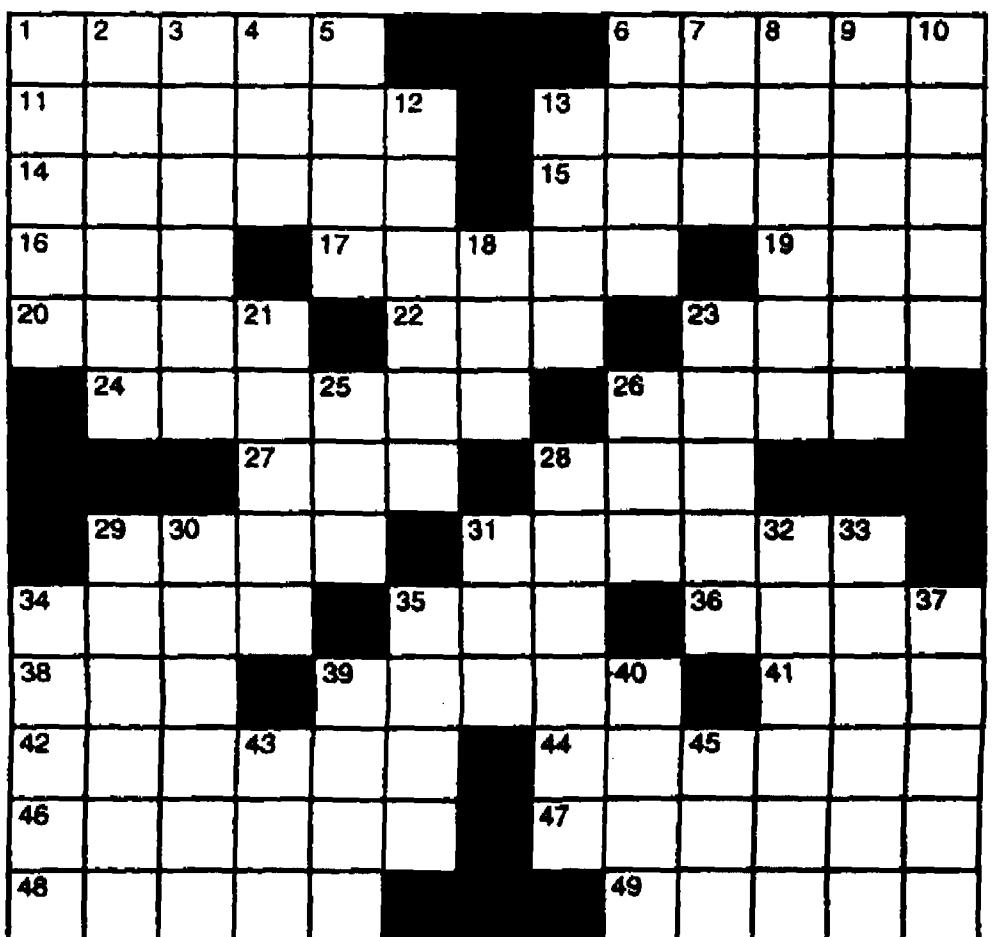
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- Thick slices
- Proofreading mark
- Animal fat
- Secret
- Abbot's office
- Proportions
- King, Fr.
- Type of light
- Crackpot
- Horse gait
- Gershwin
- Limbs
- Traps
- Mess
- Dance step
- Twice
- At what time
- Clergyman
- Wharf
- Wager
- Rebuff
- Labor union
- Angry
- Person
- Counsel
- Machine
- Required
- Banquet
- Trieste measure, pl.

DOWN

- Nourishes
- Begins
- Toils
- Britain
- Bachelor of Liberal Arts
- Footwear
- Projecting rock
- Play part
- Elia
- Sufficient
- Tries
- Elinor and Philip
- Space
- Tax agency
- Candle
- endures
- Hurried

- Possessive pronoun
- Winked rapidly
- More savage
- Paradise
- Legume
- Pale green
- Destroyed
- Musical instrument
- Raised
- Lagers
- Desserts
- Star in Pegasus
- Mountain in Asia Minor
- Gross. Natl. Expenditure, init.



94 years ago March 20, 1902

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Osterman, March 10, a son.

Fred Hoesli lost a valuable horse last week.

Married at the James Phippney home in Beaver Creek March 15, Fred Phippney and Martha Lame. Justice James Sullivan officiating.

A. E. Neuman is happy over the

news, from the U.P. from his daughter, Mrs. Solon Holbrook. There is another boy to call him grandfather.

Ed Chalker came down from Waters Tuesday evening, not that he especially admired St. Patrick, but he likes to dance and Miss _____ was there.

Annie Nelson fractured her arm Monday, when she slipped on a flight of stairs.

Miss Alice Croteau wishes to announce that she is opening a millinery store in her home.

LOCAL WEATHER

Courtesy of the City of Grayling



Date	High	Low	Precip.	Snow on ground
3/6	23	-5		24"
3/7	15	9	0.01	24"
3/8	13	-17		23"
3/9	8	-12	0.02	24"
3/10	24	-8		22"
3/11	31	-3		22"
3/12	43	10		21"

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: Wednesday calls for partly-sunny skies, with the highs in the upper 40s to around 50. There is a chance of rain on Thursday. The highs will be in the mid 40s to around 50, with the lows in the 30s to around 40. There is also a chance of rain on Friday, with the highs in the low to mid 40s, some areas reaching near 50, and the lows in the low to mid 30s. Another chance of rain on Saturday, otherwise mostly-cloudy skies. The highs will be in the 40s to near 50, with the lows in the mid 40s.

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1051	070-200-011-011-00	'93	1566.39	1058	070-200-027-010-00	1993	1477.11
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD				LOT 10 BLK 27 ROFFEE'S ADD	1993	1286.39
1052	070-200-015-011-00	'93	1344.04	1059	070-200-028-005-00	1993	28.11
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD				LOT 5 BLK 28 ROFFEE'S ADD	1993	28.11
1053	070-200-020-005-00	'93	2422.76	1060	070-200-028-006-00	1993	129.28
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD				LOT 6 BLK 28 ROFFEE'S ADD	1993	129.28
1054	070-200-022-005-00	'93	2184.00	1061	070-200-030-005-00	1993	2505.18
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD				LOT 5 BLK 30 ROFFEE'S ADDITION	1993	2505.18
1055	070-200-024-003-00	'93	1549.37	1062	070-200-030-006-00	1993	619.38
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD				LOT 6 BLK 30 ROFFEE'S ADD	1993	619.38
1056	070-200-024-010-00	'93	838.02	SALLING HANSON AND CO'S ADDITION			
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD			1063	070-210-002-001-00	1993	981.70
1057	070-200-025-001-00	'93	838.02		THE SW 1/4 66 FT. OF LOT 1 AND THE SW 1/4 66 FT. OF THE S 1/2 OF LOT 2 BLK 2, SALLING HANSON CO. PLAT	1993	981.70
	1/2 AC. 12' 25' LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 11, ROFFEE'S ADD						

Important Notice Relative To Delinquent Taxes

Because the list of Delinquent tax lands for tax sale advertising must necessarily be made up several months ahead of time in order to get it in the printer's hands, several descriptions are included in the Crawford County list on which taxes have been paid.

IF YOUR 1993 AND PRIOR YEARS TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID, YOUR LAND CANNOT BE SOLD IN THE MAY 7, 1996, TAX SALE.

If you have not paid your taxes and your land is listed for sale, you must pay at any time up until Monday, May 6, 1996.

We shall be glad to answer any other questions you may have about the tax sale here at the Treasurer's Office.

Joseph V. Wakeley
Crawford County Treasurer

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Stock, Michael J. Stockman, Nick & Ma
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Stoddard, Ivah Stoike, A
Stokes, Margaret J. Stoll, Carolyn
Stoll, Sarah L. Stoll, Sterling H
Stolla, Don & Deb A. Stolla, Donald & D
Stolla, Donald J & Deborah A
Stollar, Tara Lynn & Carolyn
Stollie, Allen J. Stone, Larry
Stone, R.A. Stonecifer, Kelly L
Stoner, Clifford Stoner, D J & Donald
Stoner, Donald F. Stoner, Kim & Donald
Stoney, Matthew Stopka, Lucy
Storks, Debbie R. Stonner, D
Storwick, Robert M & Story, Charles M
Stout, Daniel C & Rob Stout, Gene A Sr
Stovall, E C & W L Stovall, Will & Edith
Stovall, Willard & Edith C
Stovall, Willard & Edith C
Stoys, Donald Strachan, Robert
Straka, Glenn B. Strake, Andrew
Straley, Kevin T. Stratton, P E
Straub, Adele E. Straub, R J DDS
Straub, Juanita Straub, Bill
Straub, R. Straub, James
Strausbaugh Dodge Inc. Strawbridge, James
Streetman, Jean Street, Donald
Streets, G. Strehlau, W
Strempek, Walter F. Strepp, Inc
Strickland, Alyse K. Strickland, Keith E
Stricklin, Edward & C Strine, Jason D
Strong, Dalene T. Strong, May or C H
Strode, Dale Strouse, Roger R & Cynthia
Struble, Louise F & Robert F & Jo Anne B
Strubside, Loren Styerwalt, Bruce
Struzik, J J Jr. Stuart, Allie
Stuart, Kenneth C. Stuart, Lucinda
Stubblefield, Phillip Stuber, Barbara & Ed
Stuber, Edith Ann Stuckey, Brent C
Stuckey, Ivan Student, Erich
Stuckey, Ivan A. Student, William S
Student, Ise Stugill, William S
Stuhlreher, Nancy Stulberg, Har & Roberta
Stulp, Donald G. Stults, Arthur
Stump, M. Sturges, David A
Sturgill, William Jr. Stutzman, Ron
Subramanian, Vegulapranan & Lakshmi
Suffel, Rex Sulfrey, Albert
Suggs, Larry R. Sulier, Frederick
Sullivan, Cornelius Sullivan, D J
Sullivan, Daniel John & John Sumner, M W & N M
Sullivan, Harriet P. Sumner, M W & N M
Sullivan, Helen F. Sullivan, John & D J
Sullivan, John & Dan Sullivan, Mary M
Sullivan, Thomas P. Sullivan, Vicki
Summers, P. Sumner, John
Sumner, Michael W & Naomi M
Sumpster, Naketta T. Sun Valley Pizza
Sunburn, John H Rev. Sundquist, Geo M & M
Sundquist, George & M. Swales, Merrill
Sundquist, George & Mnarion
Sundstrom, Lempi Sunmark Ind
Suntken, Robert L. Superior Tea & Coffee
Sutridge, Florence Z. Susanka, G E
Sussex, Howard Sussex, Theodore W
Sutherland, George W. Sutherland, P A
Sutles, Donald Sutton, Eugene & Betty
Sutton, Eunice Sutton, James
Sutton, Larry Russell Sutton, Marilyn J
Sutton, P. Sutton, Phyllis M
Sutton, Roger R. Sutyak, Joseph A & Betty L
Suveda, Edward P. Swager, M
Swain, C. Swain, D
Swain, Gerald F & Richard W. Swain, David
Swales, C & T. Swales, C J & T
Swales, Cliff & Thelm Swales, Clifford M
Swales, Clifford & TM Swales, Clifford J &

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Boyd Mary
Boyd Willie & Mamie
Boyes Lawrence Decd
Brashart Morris
Bracken Bryan & Sandra
Brackett David A & Adelaide S
Bradford Sherry
Bradley Paul W Bradshaw Willie & Brownies
Brady Edward & Mattie L
Breedon Glen W & Julie
Brehm Thomas P
Brenner Ruby Brewer Gerald W Jr & Irene M
Brenzie Celia Brewer Daniel L & Nancy J
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Bridan John A
Bride James
Boyd Mandy L
Boyd Steven W
Boyer Annie & Adam
Boykins Jeffrey L
Brace Frank III
Brackett Connie L
Bradley Leona
Briggs Cynthia
Briggs Harry & Margaret
Branson Alva I
Brant Esther
Brashfr Patrick M
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Brazelton Alyce E
Bremer Rory
Brenis Sabrina R
Brewer Charlotte
Brewer Daniel L & Nancy J
Brezzell James E
Bricker Judith
Briggs Beulah I
Cohen, Phyllis & Paul
Cohron, Stephanie J
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Cole, Helen Miller
Coleman, Carroll
Cole, W
Coleman, Edward C
Coleman, Gary
Coleman, P L
Colish, Marnie & Jer
Collick, Robert B
Collins, Clifton C
Collins, Joseph C
Collins, Patrick & El
Collins, S C
Colon, Grace
Colon, Richee Ann
Colon, R
Comden, Richard C & Betty
Colville, Edward & Glo
Colwell, John Douglas
Combs, Christopher
Combs, Sharon P & M
Comcast Music Network
Community Health C
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Concrete Cutting Svc
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Connell, Kirby M
Connell, Michael
Connolly, Carrie
Connor, Charles M & Pearl M
Conrad, J M
Conrad, Larry & Diana
Conrad, James H
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Conrad, Lucille
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Cook, Charles L
Cook, Ella
Cook, Elwin D
Cook, Jennifer C
Cook, Lisa Ann & Terri Ann
Cook, Melton & Nina
Cook, Violet
Coon, Harold R Jr
Coons, Melvin
Cooper, Darrell D
Cooper, Donald Alan
Cooper, Helens
Cooper, James Justin & Jayne B
Cooper, Marion
Cooper, Wanda F
Coosau, R L
Copeland, Seah
Copper, James & Jayne
Corbin, Lamont R
Corbitt, George
Cooper, Lagora
Corliss, Robert MD
Cornelius, Dennis D
Cornwell, Elaine C &
Corson, Paula
Cory, John H & Viva L
Cosman, Richard L
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Cotton, Jeffrey Ray
Cottrell, Rex
Coughlin, Carol
Courtney, Rick
Cousneau, Daniel J
Cousino, James
Cousino, L K
Cousins, Richard E
Covetz, Gregory J
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Cowan, Paul
Cox, Janice
Cox, Lavida L
Cox, Michael
Cox, Sheila
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Craig, Marlene
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Crampton, O M
Crane, May
Craven, C
Crawford, Carrie M
Crawford, Glenn
Crawford, Raymond M
Crawford, Stephanie
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Cred, Rita M
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Creps, Vernon
Cress, M G
Crim, Kary Nichole & Ralph L
Cris, Harry H & M
Critchfield, Jack F
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Coleman, Byron C
Collins, Paul & Dorot
Coleman, Eulis
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Collier, G
Collins, D E
Collins, Louin Jr
Collister, Helen S
Collister, W C & H S
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Convin, Kim
Conaway, Esas
Combs, Christopher
Comant, Mary I
Conner, Carl
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Connell, Kevin A
Conklin, David M
Conklin, W A
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Connelly, Michael
Connelly, Gerry
Connor, Charles M & Pearl M
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Conrad, O
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Cook, R E
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Cook, Barbara
Cook, Donald
Cook, Elise
Cook, Katherine M
Cook, Orval E
Cook, Patricia
Cook, Violet & Stan
Coonrod, Michael E
Cooper, Carol A
Cooper, Dixie
Cooper, Grace
Cooper, James & Jayne
Cooper, Shyvonne D
Cooper, William R
Cope, William C
Coppa, Donna
Corbett, Fred
Correy, Wayne
Corley, R T
Coronado, Primitiva C
Cornelius, Barbara
Comist, F C
Cram, William T Jr
Cursun, Robert
Cosby, Roger
Cottee, Barry C
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Cottrell, Arthur P
Couch, Judy
Coulter, Juan Bailey
Courtright, Donald
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Cousino, Wendy
Covert, Donald B
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Cowell, Merville
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Cox, Lau & Beverly
Cox, Sarah
Cox, Thomas
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Craig, Clifford & Dor
Craig, Steven W
Cramer, Alice M
Cramer, Russell
Crandell, Richard
Crist, Leona A
Craw, Mary Jane
Crawford, Dorothy
Crawford, Jack or V
Crawford, Raymond M
Crawford, Stephanie
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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY ORDER OF PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING: FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5492-ES
In the Matter of the Estates of: MIKE A. CHINAVARE, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS INCLUDING THOSE LISTED BELOW WHOSE ADDRESSES AND WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN: Your interest in this estate may be barred or effected by this hearing.

IT IS ORDERED that on Wednesday, April 17, 1996, at 10 a.m., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County Public Administrator, requesting that his Final Account be allowed and that the residue be assigned to the Department of Treasury, Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as provided by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that publication shall be made as provided by statute.

John G. Hunter
Judge of Probate

INSTRUCTIONS

If your name is on the following list, you may have a claim to lands or other property being held by the State of Michigan. For further information, contact the Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Division per the following instructions:

- 1) Clip out the entire article of Abandoned Property Owners and underline your name.
- 2) Send to the Department of Treasury, Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Division, Lansing, Michigan, 48922.
- 3) In your letter, request a Petition for Refund and include the article of Abandoned Property Owners and Petition ID number. The Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Division will fill in the amount of abandoned property due to you and send the proper forms to you for completion.
- 4) Include your social security number when requesting a refund.
- 5) You need not be present at the time of the hearing to petition for a refund. DONOT CONTACT THE PROBATE COURT OR THIS OFFICE FOR INFORMATION.

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Chovan, Joe
Christiansen, John
Christiansen, S Y C
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Christy, Alma
Chudnow, Mildred J
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Church, J C & R D
Ciavino, Martha & Charles J
Cieslak, Adam
Cilibrise, A P
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Citizens Mortgage Corp
Citius, Bradley
Clancy, Dorcen B
Clapp Sandra K MD
Clark Coyle Bieber Wile Ins
Clark, C E
Clark, Clara
Clark, Deana M
Clark, David R & Christopher M
Clark, Douglas J
Clark, Eva L
Clark, Ina M
Clark, Jon
Clark, Kathryn
Clark, Margaret Ann
Clark, Tanya G
Clark, Timothy
Clark, Warren
Clark, Win
Clarke, Teresa J
Claude, Cindy
Clawson, P J
Clay, Roger
Clayton Environmental Cons
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Clemence, Keith D
Clemmons, Onalee
Clifford, William
Clifford, Margaret J & Henry
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Cline, Jackie
Clor, Frank E
Clowney, Glenn
Clugne, Gregory A
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Coakle, Veronic C
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Cobb, Hillary L
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Cochran, Emma
Cochran, Robert & M Roslyn
Cock, Carlton
Coddling, Edna Smith
Cody, Josephine & Ellen
Coe, Thomas J & Elileen A
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Cohen, Gertrude M & Judith B
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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY ORDER OF PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING: FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5483-ES
In the Matter of the Estates of: MERA V. TURNEY, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS INCLUDING THOSE LISTED BELOW WHOSE ADDRESSES AND WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN: Your interest in this estate may be barred or effected by this hearing.

IT IS ORDERED that on Wednesday, April 10, 1996, at 2 p.m., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County Public Administrator, requesting that his Final Account be allowed and that the residue be assigned to the Department of Treasury, Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as provided by law.

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LEGAL ACTION

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY ORDER OF PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING: FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5485-ES
In the Matter of the Estates of: STEPHANIE E. SPEARS, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

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Spiers, B
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Spitzer, Kelly L
Spitz, Sharon
Spohn, Helen H
Spomer, F
Spragens, Terry
Spray, C
Sprie, Pearl
Sprouse, Amy L
Spurrier, Don E
Speer, M
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St Clair, R C & M
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Stack, R C & J L
Stackhouse, Eleanor
Stack, Mary J
Stadnicar, John
Staffor, Charles & Virginia
Stafford, Helen D
Stafford, Leola
Staley, James D
Stalhood, J
Stallers, Douglas C
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Stanberry, Phillip D
Standard
Standifer, Mervin
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Stanley, Mary & Robt
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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY ORDER OF PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING: FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5463-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: BOBBY D. AHART, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS INCLUDING THOSE LISTED BELOW WHOSE ADDRESSES AND WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN: Your interest in this estate may be barred or affected by this hearing.

IT IS ORDERED that on Wednesday, April 10, 1996, at 2 p.m., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County Public Administrator, requesting that his Final Account be allowed and that the residue be assigned to the Department of Treasury, Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as provided by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that publication shall be made as provided by statute.

John G. Hunter

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SCHEDULE A

PETITION ID NO: 18763

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Bosse Ronald
Carl Sharon
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Cooper Joann E.
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Doe Ronald J.
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McNeven Ruby
Mott Robert
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River Country Motor Lodge
Rivera David MD
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Vogler Donald
Alms Robert
Bedard Vicki
Brown Charles E.
Conrill Robert H.
Debott Ned
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Geot Beth Ann
Leal Michelle C.
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Owens Jerry
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Schmidt Shelly M.
Sieck David

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
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 FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5462-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: BETTY BARRETT, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS INCLUDING THOSE LISTED BELOW WHOSE ADDRESSES AND WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN: Your interest in this estate may be barred or affected by this hearing.

IT IS ORDERED that on Tuesday, April 9, 1996, at 2 p.m., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County Public Administrator, requesting that his Final Account be allowed and that the residue be assigned to the Department of Treasury, Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as provided by law.

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Swayze II E
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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY ORDER OF PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING: FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5476-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: LISA ALEXANDER, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CRAWFORD COUNTY
NOTICE OF
APPOINTMENT
AND DATE FOR
PRESENTMENT OF
CLAIMS**

File No. 95-5494-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: FRED A. ELAINE DICKMAN, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: On 2/19/95 I was appointed Administrator of above combined estates pursuant to the attached Petition of the Public Administrator of the State of Michigan. I am serving without bond.

TAKE NOTICE: All owners and of interested persons are notified that all creditors claims against said estates must be presented personally or by mail to the Administrator or to both the above-named Administrator and to the Probate Court within four months after the date of this posting.

4/17/96 at 10:00 a.m. or be forever barred.

Notice is further given that the residue of said estates will then be assigned to the State of Michigan as escheated property.

date 11/30/95

David R. Sabin P19822
115 Michigan Avenue
Gitting, MI 49738
(517) 348-5588

INSTRUCTIONS

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- 3) In your letter, request a Petition to Refund and include the article of Abandoned Property Owners and Petition ID number.
- 4) Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Division will fill in the amount of abandoned property due to you and send the proper forms to you upon completion.
- 5) Include your social security number with requesting a refund.
- 6) You need not be present at the time of the hearing to petition for a refund.

DO NOT CONTACT THE PROBATE COURT FOR THIS OFFICE FOR INFORMATION.

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Dickman, Fred & Elaine	Dickson, J.
Didier, Henry L.	Diedar Land Comp
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CRAWFORD COUNTY

AND DATE FOR PRESENTMENT OF CLAIMS

File No. 95-5495-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: BOBBI
ENGLE, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned
Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
21/95 I was appointed Administrator
above combined estates pursuant to the state
Petition of the Public Administrator of the
of Michigan. I am serving without bond.

TAKE NOTICE: All owners and
interested persons are notified that all ex-
claims against said estates must be pre-
personally or by mail to the Administrator
both the above-named Administrator and
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4/17/96 at 10:00 a.m. or be forever be-
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Date 11/30/95
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hearing to petition for a refund.

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OR THIS OFFICE FOR INFORMATION.
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**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CRAWFORD COUNTY
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
AND NOTICE OF
HEARING:
FINAL ACCOUNT**

File No. 95-4481-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: J. WOYSTER,
ET AL., Owners of Abandoned Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS
INCLUDING THOSE LISTED BELOW
WHOSE ADDRESSES AND
WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN: Your
interest in this estate may be barred or effected
by this hearing.

IT IS ORDERED that on Wednesday, April
10, 1996, at 2 p.m., in the probate courtroom,
Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter,
Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the
petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County
Public Administrator, requesting that his Final
Account be allowed and that the residue be
assigned to the Department of Treasury,
Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as
provided by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that publication
shall be made as provided by statute.

John G. Hunter
Judge of Probate

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David R. Sabin
Attorney at Law
115 Michigan Avenue

Grytling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County Public Administrator, requesting that his Final Account be allowed and that the residue be assigned to the Department of Treasury, Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as provided by law.

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John G. Hunter
Judge of Probate

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Blodose, Elbert
Berger, Vernon
Berkman, Marli M B
Bernsteld, David
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Blanchard, Pamela
Blasco, Wendy L
Blasick, Dorothy
Blase, Julius
Blaser, R
Blake, SM & JA / R
Blahgrund, Jordan
Bleich, Gertrude L

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**PETITION FOR
APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR OF
OWNERS OF
ABANDONED PROPERTY**
File No. 95-005494-ES

In the Matter of the Estates of: FRED A.
ELAINE DICKMAN, ET AL, Owners of
Abandoned Property.

I, I am interested in this matter as Private
Administrator of the State of Michigan.

IRERPRESENT that:

2. The report of unclaimed or abandoned
property filed with the Abandoned & Unclassified
Property Division by the holder names in
Schedule "A", discloses that the holder and
his successor holder has in its possession, custody
or control money or other property for which
it is accountable to the owners listed in schedule
"A".

3. The report further discloses that the owner
of the property described in schedule "A" has
ceased, failed or neglected to exercise dominion
or control over the property, to assert a right
ownership or possession concerning
property, to make presentment and demand
payment, or to do any other act in relation
such property for a continuous period of
years or more immediately preceding the
of the report.

4. By reason of the above, the property
forth in schedule "A" is deemed to have been
abandoned and should be administered
accordance with the statutes of the State of
Michigan.

5. I request that DAVID SABIN Private
Administrator of CRAWFORD County, Michigan,
appointed as administrator of the estate(s) of
owners of abandoned property as listed in
schedule "A" for the purpose of marshaling
protecting and preserving their property,
that their estate(s) be combined as provided
law.

I declare that this petition has been examined
by me and that its contents are true to the best
of my information, knowledge and belief.

Date: Nov. 21, 1995
Andrew D. Quinn P29809
401 S. Washington Ave.
Lansing, MI 48913
(517) 373-1145

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CRAWFORD COUNTY
NOTICE OF
APPOINTMENT**

Fanson, Helen W & Charles A Farlow, I
Farley, Glenna G Farlow, W
Farmer, Rhonda Leakey Farmer, W
Farnham, L A & E D Farnham, M
Farnsworth, Elizabeth Farthing
Farthing, Carol Farthing
Farver, Jessie G & William T Farwell, I
Fauba, John Faubel, M
Faulkner, Robert C Fancey, Jeff &
Faxon Fulfillment Ctr Fazio, R
Fearn, Jack Fed Natl
Feohbeimer Fesser, Dorothy & John
Feigelman, Ralph Feiler, M
Feinberg, Daniel A & Peter E Feik
Feider, Mitchell Feldman, Ellen & I
Feldman, Ellen & Raym Fellows, I
Feldman, Stew & Ray Felix, Ru
Fera, Paris Ferguson, Al
Ferguson, A S Ferguson, A
Ferguson, H S Ferguson, J
Ferguson, James A Ferguson, Jan
Ferguson, James, Joyce Ferguson, Th
Fernando, Justin F Ferrari, Br
Ferrari, Edward John Ferrer, P
Ferrell, Ralph Ferrer, Chr
Ferrat, Robert Ferrer, Ra
Ferries, R J Ferris State Univ
Ferra, Natha Ferial, B
Fesik, Daniel R Fieale, Leigha
Feist, Arthur L C & Margaret E Fick, B
Feist, Irma & Thomas & Carolyn Fick, B
Field, R S Filarski, Richard W & L
File, Norma Filion, K
Filkins, John C Filion, K
Finch, Charles M Findley, David
Finela, Julie Finical, P
Fink, David Fink, Th
Finke, Robert Findlay, M
Finley, E Finn, Jose
Finn, Michael Finney
Finlayson, Ellen Finster, P
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First of America Duesfield Fisher, J
Fischer, Beverly J Fisher, Jo
Fischer, Mabel Fischer, Mi
Fischer, R L Fisher, Ph
Fish, Neva E Fisher, Don
Fish, Neva B/Hamer, Barbara E Fisher E
Fisher, Glenn B & Marilyn S Fisher
Fisher, Joel Fisher, Judith/G
Fisher, L Fisher, N
Fisher, Norman Fisher, Pa
Fisher, William S Fisher, Cha
Fish, M H Fish, Bl
Fish, Joey A Fish, M
Fitzgerald, Craig M Fitzgerald, Kath
Fitzgerald, Katie K Fitzgerald, Ke
Fitzgerald, V L Fitzpatrick, J
Fitzpatrick, Robert Fitzpatrick, Tu
Flayk, Bogumil Flis, R
Flagler, Florence A Flaherty, Jo

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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CRAWFORD COUNTY ORDER OF PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING: FINAL ACCOUNT

File No. 95-5488-ES
In the Matter of the Estates of: BEVERLY
ABALOS, ET AL, Owners of Abandoned
Property.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS
INCLUDING THOSE LISTED BELOW
WHOSE ADDRESSES AND
WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN: Your
interest in this estate may be barred or effected
by this hearing.

IT IS ORDERED that on Wednesday, April
17, 1996, at 10 a.m., in the probate courtroom,
Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter,
Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the
petition of David R. Sabin, Crawford County
Public Administrator, requesting that his Final
Account be allowed and that the residue be
assigned to the Department of Treasury,
Abandoned & Unclaimed Property Division, as
provided by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that publication
shall be made as provided by statute.

John G. Hunter
Judge of Probate

INSTRUCTIONS

If your name is on the following list, you may
have a claim to lands or other property being
held by the State of Michigan. For further
information, contact the Abandoned and
Unclaimed Property Division per the following
instructions:

- 1) Clip out the entire article of Abandoned
Property Owners and underline your name.
- 2) Send to the Department of Treasury,
Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Division,
Lansing, Michigan, 48922.
- 3) In your letter, request a Petition for
Refund and include the article of Abandoned
Property Owners and Petition ID number. The
Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Division
will fill in the amount of abandoned property
due to you and send the proper forms to you for
completion.
- 4) Include your social security number when
requesting a refund.
- 5) You need not be present at the time of the
hearing to petition for a refund.

DO NOT CONTACT THE PROBATE COURT
OR THIS OFFICE FOR INFORMATION.

David R. Sabin
Attorney at Law
115 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, MI 49738
REPORT NO. 19853*

A & S Property Co
ARS Builders, Inc.
Abate, Angela L.
Abbe, Stanley
Abbot, Norman
Abbot, Thomas M T
Abela, Nino J
Abfall, Adam T
Abiccup, Dorothy M
Abney C
Abrams, M
Ace Safe & Lock
Adam, Clem L
Adamczyk, Gregory
Adams, Julia F
Adams, Lillian
Adams, Michael A
Adams, Sharon
Adams, Thomas & Jac
Adelsperger, Robert E
Aden, Sherry
Adkins, Franklin D
Adler, R
Adler, William & Gera
Adler, William and Gerald
ADP Network SVC
ADT Security Systems
Aeschliman, Sam & Jen
Ahrens, Chas & Gwen
Aichele, Robert J & Esther M
Akins, R L
Alamaguer, Isabel
Albain, Bonnie
Albers, Claude
Alcock, Dan B
Alden, Sharon Gail
Aldrich, Emily C
Aldrich, Linda M
Alessandrini, Mark
Alexander, L K
Alexander, Richard R
Alexy, Jennifer D
Alford, William
Allen, James & Jane
Allegan Farmers Cooperative Assn
Allen, Bernice L
Allen E
Allen, Guy E
Allen, Horace E Tr
Allen, John J
Allen, Kenneth B
Allen, Merlyn
Allen, Rachelle C
Allen, Robert B & Lillian G
Allen, Walter
Allied Sewer SVC
Allison, Merle
Allison, Ronald W
Almas, M R
Alpena General Hosp
Alston, Christin
Altman, Stephen & D
Alvett, John & J
Alvan Motor Freight
Alvi, Abdullah S
Amann, Charles A & Marilyn R
Ambrose, P V
Ament, Irene M
Amer, Elizabeth A
American Concrete Institute
American Dist Telegraph
American Mortgage Ins
American Motor Sales
Americitech Mobile Communications Inc
Analytical Laboratories
Anderson, Arlene & Beth M
Anderson Jon C E Inc
Anderson, Brandi M
Anderson, Carl
Anderson, Charles & Jud
Anderson, Charles L
Anderson, George M & Rose
Anderson, Isabel G & R Albert Anderson, V A
Anderson, James S & Jo Anne
Anderson, Paul S
Anderson, Robert
Anderson, Todd
Andrew, Joseph D
Andrews, F A & S
Andrews, Florence & Average
Andrews, George W

Andrews, Susan A
Anesthasia Asen Ann Arbor
Angel, Susan
Angelos, Sam S & Frances K
Angelo, Bernice
Angiebrandt, Russell
Ann Arbor Red Roof Inn
Anasch, John E
Anzick, Angela
Appel, Patricia S
Appleton, John
Aranda, Anna
Arbor Drugs
Archambeau, Wm
Archway, Cookies
Arcileci, Helen & Joseph
Arcus, Michael A
Arman, Mary Pat
Armbruster, John V
Armstrong, B E & P A
Armstrong, Gladys
Armstrong, Mac J & Marjorie F
Armstrong, P & A
Armstrong, Robert & J
Armstrong, Robert G
Arnesen, Margaret
Arnold, Dennis
Arnold, Marc C
Arnold, W E, Mrs.
Arnoson, Preston
Arthur, Lois L
Artis, Robert G & Ph
Artman, Edna & Michael
Arvo, Mabel D
Asaro, Peter R
Ashford, Robin A
Ashman, George D
AT&T Tuition Assn Program
Atiyeh, Diane
Ataway, Arthur
Au, Gordon
Audio Vision In
Augustyniak, V C
Aulla, II
Ault, Patricia
Aust, Dorothy
Austerberry, John
Automotive News
Auxiliary To Farm & Industrial Eggs Inst
Avant, Roman & A L Avant, Roman & Annie
Avant, Roman & Annie Laurie Avesian, Sarah
Avant, Roman & Annie Laurie Avant, Chen
Averett, Calvin B
Ayen, Jeanne
Azar, Halle
Baatz, Michelle R
Babcock, Ruth & Babcock, Wayne H
Baber, Rita
Bachus, F E
Badanek, John
Badia, Danny Louis
Baez, John G & L L
Bagley, R B
Bahncro, R
Bailey, David
Bailey, Margaret B
Bailey, William C
Baileys Truck Ser Gar
Bair, Verda
Bak, Emile Mrs
Bakins, Art or Cath
Baker, Albert & Eugen
Baker, Charles F
Baker, Dona J
Baker, Frank Jr
Baker, J Kalyd
Baker, Paul
Baker, Robert
Baker, Theodore
Bakert, Robert
Bakst, James S & Dolores Ann Bakst, Mary
Bakst, Mary H
Bale, Walter S
Balase, Kazie
Baldoni, Susan K
Baldwin, Harold P
Baldwin, Michelle & T
Baldwin, Shannon M
Ball, Donna
Ball, Willard J
Balliet, Wayne
Ballinger, M F
Balmforth, W R
Balmwinski, Linda
Bammer, Heather L
Bancroft, C R
Bank of Alma
Banka, Franklin E
Bantz, W E

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CONSOLIDATE

Notice is hereby given by Citizens
Commercial & Savings Bank, 328 S. Saginaw
Street, Flint, Michigan 48502 has made
application with the Commissioner of the
Michigan Financial Institutions Bureau for
permission to consolidate with Second National
Bank of Saginaw, 101 N. Washington Ave.,
Saginaw, MI 48607, National Bank of Royal
Oak, 211 S. Center St., Royal Oak, Michigan
48067, State Bank of Standish, 120 N. Forest
St., Standish, MI 48658, Second National Bank
of Bay City, 701 Washington Ave., Bay City,
MI 48708, and Grayling State Bank, 305
Michigan Avenue, Grayling, MI 49738 into a
single bank, pursuant to Section 125 of the
Michigan banking code of 1969, as amended,
MCLA 487.425, with the resulting bank to
operate under the charter and bylaws of Citizens
Commercial & Savings Bank and under the

name of Citizens Bank. The resulting bank will
be located at 328 S. Saginaw St., Flint, Michigan
48502. The application was accepted for filing
by the Financial Institutions Bureau on March
5, 1996.

Any person who desires to protest the
application must, pursuant to section 30 of the
banking code of 1969, as amended, MCLA
487.330; MSA 23.710(30), file a written notice
of protest with the Commissioner of the Financial
Institutions Bureau, P.O. Box 30224, 333 S.
Capitol Avenue, Suite A., Lansing, Michigan
48909, and with the Applicant not later than
April 1, 1996.

The application is on file with the
Commissioner and may be inspected during
regular business hours.

This notice is published pursuant to section
30 of the banking code of 1969, as amended,
being section 487.330 of the Michigan Compiled
Laws; as amended by Act No. 524 of the Public
Acts of 1978, which sets forth the procedures
for processing applications and the manner in
which protests may be made.
By: Thomas W. Gallagher
Senior Vice President and
General Counsel

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SYNOPSIS Crawford County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting of Feb. 20, 1996

The Regular Meeting of the Crawford County
Board of Commissioners was called to order by
Acting Chairperson Sandra Moore, County
Clerk at 10 a.m. in the County Building,
Grayling, Michigan on Feb. 20, 1996. Roll Call:
Long, Hartman, Black, McLachlan, Smock and
Bretzke—present. Absent: None. County Clerk
Sandra Moore, present. There were others
present at various times.

—Accepted the minutes of the Regular
Meeting of Feb. 6, 1996, as presented.

—Agreed to purchase three Plat Books for
the Building and Zoning Dept. and nine Plat
Books for the Crawford County Planning
Commission per correspondence items one and
two of the Ways & Means Committee Meeting
of Feb. 6, 1996.

—Accepted correspondence as presented.

—Asked that the clerk forward the
Commission on Aging a letter requesting they
reconsider renewal of contract with Carol Kolka
as director for the Commission on Aging.

—Requested that Corporate Counsel provide
a written opinion as to what authority the
Crawford County Board of Commissioners has
to remove appointed members of other
Commissions and Committees by the next
Regular Board Meeting of March 5, 1996.

—Agreed to enter into pending P.O.A.M.
and C.O.A.M. contracts effective Jan. 1, 1995
through Dec. 31, 1998 with the Crawford County
Sheriff's Dept.

—Requested that Commissioner Black attend

the Tobacco Reduction Coalition Meeting on
Feb. 21, 1996 at Mercy Hospital.

—Agreed to draft a Resolution
acknowledging the 15 years of professional
service to Crawford County by the valuable
time and efforts of Prosecutor John Huss and
Assistant Prosecutor David Sabin.

—Based on the recommendation of the
Circuit Court Judge and the County Clerk, the
Grayling Middle School Students will be allowed
use of the Crawford County Circuit Courtroom
for presentation of their play "Night of January
16," held on the evenings of March 7, 8 and 9.

—Agreed to waive the fee of \$30 from the
Grayling Middle School for use of the Circuit
Courtroom for the production of their play in
March.

—Honored the request made by McLachlan
to abstain from voting pending the anticipated
opinion from the Prosecutor on his potential
conflict of interest.

—Agreed to accept the Feb. 19, 1996
Memorandum of Settlement Points in regard to
the law suit of C.E.S.W. -vs- Crawford County
Case No. 95-6409 CK.

—Agreed to prepare a Resolution effective
Jan. 1, 1997, stating all future Road
Commissioners for Crawford County will be
appointed by the Crawford County Board of
Commissioners in place of the present electoral
vote.

—Approved the chairperson to proceed and
sign the 1996 Title IV-D Cooperative
Reimbursement Contract based upon the
recommendation of Assistant Prosecutor, David
Sabin.

—Appointed Bruce Bretzke as Chairperson
and Dennis Long as Vice-Chairperson.

—Adopted the Resolution to Commissioner
Long for his three consecutive years of service
as Chairperson to the Crawford County Board
of Commissioners.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:55 p.m.
A full context of the meeting minutes are on
file in the Clerk's Office.
Sandra Moore, County Clerk

NOTICE CITY OF GRAYLING BOARD OF REVIEW

The City of Grayling Board of Review will meet with taxpayers on the
following dates: Monday, March 11th, 9 am - 12 noon and 1 - 5 pm,
and Saturday, March 16th, 9 am to 12 noon.

CLASS	TENTATIVE RATIO	FACTOR
RESIDENTIAL	50.00	1.0000
COMMERCIAL	50.00	1.0000
INDUSTRIAL	50.00	1.0000
PERSONAL	50.00	1.0000

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Public Accuracy Test for the March
19, 1996, Presidential Primary Election has been scheduled for
Thursday, March 14, 1996, at 2 pm in the Crawford County Courthouse
building, 200 W. Michigan Avenue, Grayling, MI 49738.

The Public Accuracy Test is conducted to determine that the
program(s) and precinct ballot counters being used to tabulate the
results of the election, count the votes in the manner prescribed by law.

Sandra Moore
Crawford County Clerk
March 1, 1996

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BID NOTICE

THE ROAD COMMISSION FOR CRAWFORD COUNTY
500 HURON STREET, P.O. BOX 648
GRAYLING, MICHIGAN 49738
(517) 348-2281

The Road Commission For Crawford County will accept sealed bids at
their office, 500 Huron Street, P.O. Box 648, Grayling, Michigan 49738,
until 10 am local time, March 22, 1996, for furnishing the following:

MOWER SPECIFICATIONS

Up To (2) 85 HP John Deere, Model 6400 Cab Tractor (or equivalent)

ComfortGard Cab, with air (or equivalent)
Mechanical 4-wheel drive
18.4-34 R1 rear tires
14.9-24 R1 front tires
Radial tires
Tilt cab
Flanged rear axle / 8-position cast wheels
Sycro-plus transmission 12-forward, 4-reverse speeds
Rear independent 540/1000 RPM PTO
25 GPM hydraulic pump
Super comfort seat with lumbar support
Underhood muffler with corner post exhaust
Dual (3 detent) SCV with breakaway couplers
Radio prep package, AM/FM radio
Front fenders
Window washers/wipers front and rear
Tool box
Cold weather package
Beacon light switch and wiring
Lexon Glass (right side with mar guard)
Locking gas cap

Up To (2) Flex Wing Mower, 10' (or equivalent)

Up To (2) Side Mower, 5'

(1) Boom Mower, 20' No A frame mount
This mower frame to be interchangeable with side mounted
flail ditcher and boom mower.

Complete set of filters to service machine

Parts and Service Manuals to be included

BIDS MUST BE IN A SEALED ENVELOPE PLAINLY MARKED ON
THE OUTSIDE AS TO THE ITEMS BEING BID. MAY BE BID TO
INDIVIDUAL ITEMS OR AS INSTALLED PACKAGE.

Spec. Sheets available at the Road Commission Office for boom and
rotary mower.

The Road Commission reserves the right to waive any irregularities in
any bids, to reject any or all bids, and to accept the bid which, in their
opinion, is in the best interest of The Road Commission For Crawford
County.

By: James Briney, Managing Director of
The Road Commission For Crawford County
ROBERT NELSON, Chairman
KENNETH CHAPP, Vice-Chairman
RAY SWIERCZ, Member

Bid forms available at Road Commission office.

NOTE: Bid openings will begin at 10:30 am, Thursday, March 22,
1996, in the Board Room of the Road Commission.

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BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The following is the SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS for 1996-97 fiscal
year for the Bear Lake Township Board. All meetings start at 7 pm at
the Bear Lake Community Center, M-72 and E. Bear Lake Rd.

April 2, 1996	October 1, 1996
May 7, 1996	November 6, 1996 (Wednesday)
June 4, 1996	December 3, 1996
July 2, 1996	January 7, 1997
August 7, 1996 (Wednesday)	February 4, 1997
September 3, 1996	March 4, 1997

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold a PUBLIC
HEARING on Tuesday, March 26, 1996, beginning at 7 pm, in the
Conference Room of the Grayling Township Hall, 2090 Viking Way
(M-72 West), Grayling, to receive and review public comment
regarding the following request.

Case #96-2C: Jay L. Stephan, Jr., petitioner.
P.O. Box 331
Luzerne, MI 48836

PROPERTY CODE: 20-041-010-015-020-00
LOCATION: 2318 West M-72 East, Grayling
Section 10, T26N, R3W.

A request for Conditional Use Permit to allow operation of a portable
sawmill for custom sawing and drying in the Recreational Forest (R-F)
Zone.

Case file and Zoning Ordinance are available for inspection at the
Grayling Township Office, 2090 Viking Way, Grayling, during regular
business hours.

Correspondence concerning the request may be directed to:
Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. (517)
348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton, C.M.C.
Grayling Township Clerk

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NOTICE ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Road/Stream Crossings Whirlpool and Mt. Frederic Roads
The Road Commission For Crawford County
Crawford County, Michigan

Sealed Proposals will be received from Contractors having current Michigan Department of Transportation
prequalification, by The Road Commission For Crawford County, at the Road Commission office, 500 Huron
Street, Grayling, Michigan 49738, until 1 pm local time on Friday, March 29, 1996, at which time all proposals
will be opened and read aloud.

The project consists of work at three separate locations. Two, of which, are on Mt. Frederic Road and one is
at the end of Whirlpool Road. Work at the Mt. Frederic Road locations involve removing existing culverts,
installing a 6'x12' precast concrete box culvert, and extending existing 36" culvert. Work at the Whirlpool Road
location consists of replacing existing culverts with a 42"x29" pipe arch culvert. At all three sites there will be
erosion control measures constructed and some minor road work.

The Instructions To Bidders and the drawings and specifications may be examined at The Road Commission
For Crawford County offices, and also at the office of the Engineer, Northwest Design Group, Inc., P.O. Box
576, 12608 Taylor Road, Charlevoix, Michigan, 49720. Bidding documents may be purchased from the
Engineer for the non-refundable fee of \$40.00 per set. The Michigan Department of Transportation Standard
Specifications For Construction, 1990 edition, is also part of the contract.

Each Bidder shall file a statement signed by, or on behalf of the person, firm, association, or corporation
submitting the bid, certifying that such person, firm, association or corporation, has not, either directly or
indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action, in restraint
of free competitive bidding in connection with the submitted bid. Failure to submit the signed statement as part
of the bid proposal will result in rejection of the bid.

This is a Federal Aid Project under the provisions of Section 113 of Title 23 U.S.C., as amended by the
Federal Aid Highway Act Of 1968. The Davis-Bacon Act is applicable and requires the Secretary of Labor to
determine the minimum wage rates to be paid by the Contractor and Subcontractors, which rates will be given
in detail in the proposal.

The MDOT Contractor prequalification work classification is 8E, 8Fa, or 8J. The project is subject to 60%
limitation on Subcontracting.

A certified check or bidder's bond for a sum not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal will
be required with each proposal.

No bid may be withdrawn for thirty days after the bid opening date.

The Bidder to whom a contract is awarded will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and
material payment bond for 100 percent of the total contract amount.

The Road Commission For Crawford County reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive defects in
bids, and to accept bids in any manner deemed in its own best interest.

The Road Commission For Crawford County
Mr. James Briney, Managing Director

-7-14-21-28

LEGAL ACTION

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

File No. 95-3587-CE
GRAYLING TOWNSHIP,
A Municipal Corporation
Plaintiff

vs
BONNIE BARNES,
Defendant.
DOUGLAS C. DOSSON P26312
Attorney for Plaintiff
P.O. Box 593
Roscommon, MI 48653

ORDER TO ANSWER ORDER

At a session of said Court held in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, on this 4th day of March, 1996.
PRESENT: HONORABLE WILLIAM A. PORTER, Circuit Judge.

On the 8th day of June, 1995, an action was filed by GRAYLING TOWNSHIP, Plaintiff herein, against Defendant, BONNIE BARNES, in this Court involving a question of ownership

of certain real property in Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan being described as follows:

Lot Eighteen (18), RED WING TERRACE, According to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 04 of Plats, Page 22, Crawford County Records.
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendant, BONNIE BARNES, shall answer or appear and take such other action as may be permitted by law on the 22nd day of April, 1996 at the Circuit Courtroom, County Building, Grayling, Michigan.

Defendant, BONNIE BARNES, is hereby notified that she may, at any time prior to the Court date, contest this case by appearing herself or by an attorney of her choice in the Circuit Court Clerk's Office, and filing a written answer to the complaint herein made, or she and her attorney may on the Court date, present their defense at which time the matter will be heard by the judge in the above Courtroom. Failure to appear on the Court date designated above will result in a Default Judgement being taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. Defendant may demand a trial by jury in which case the jury fee must be paid.

Dated: March 4, 1996
/s/ By: George W. Alexander
WILLIAM A. PORTER,
Circuit Judge
Dated: Feb. 5, 1996
DOUGLAS C. DOSSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff

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SYNOPSIS Crawford County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting of Feb. 6, 1996

The Regular Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Acting Chairperson, Sandra Moore, at 10:25 a.m. in the County Building, Grayling, Michigan on Feb. 6, 1996. Roll Call: Long, Hartman, Black, McLachlan and Bretzke—present. Absent: Smock. County Clerk Sandra Moore, present. There were others present at various times.

INFORMAL ACTION THE COMMISSIONERS:

—Accepted the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of Jan. 23, 1996, the Special Board Meeting of Jan. 30, 1996, and the Special Board Meeting of Jan. 31, 1996.

—Accepted the Ways & Means Committee Report and approved payment of the following vouchers: General Fund \$163,535.56, Family Counseling Fund \$825, Remuneration Fund \$2,700, Commissioners Per Diem and Expenses

Long \$84, Hartman \$84, Black \$84, McLachlan \$84, Smock \$84, Bretzke \$84 and incorporate the action of the Ways & Means Meeting.

—Accepted the correspondence as presented.

—Agreed to retain Bonnie Toskey from the Law Firm of Stoker, Cohl & Toskey, P.C. to represent the County in the present lawsuit.

—Amended motion that said law firm stand by for representation in the event there is no legal participation by insurance carrier.

—Agreed to have the Clerk contact the Michigan Association of Counties for the correct wording and process to convert the position of Road Commissioners from elected to appointed.

—Appointed Phil Dennett to the Planning Commission.

—Agreed to transfer the Blue Cross/Blue Shield Policy from the present representative to local representative Paul Thomson from Cornell Insurance Agency in Grayling.

—Agreed to direct Corporate Counsel to review and respond in writing responsibility and options of the Board of Commissioners by the next Regular Board Meeting of Feb. 20, 1996.

—Directed the Transportation Authority to close civilian air traffic use of Grayling Army Airfield effective July 1, 1996.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:04 p.m.

A full context of the meeting minutes are on file in the Clerk's Office.
Sandra Moore, County Clerk
Acting Chairperson

MILITARY NEWS

Rae Ann M. Swanson has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, Alabama.

Precommissioning training included basic military subjects, leadership and management, human behavior, professional knowledge, and defense and professional studies.

Swanson is the daughter of Gary and Pat Swanson of Seminole, Florida, both formerly of Grayling. The Lieutenant received a bachelor's degree in 1989 from Regis University, Denver, Colorado.

LT Swanson will be a customer service officer for military personnel flight at Keflavik Air Base, Iceland.

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SYNOPSIS Crawford County Ways & Means Committee Meeting of Feb. 6, 1996

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Bretzke at 8:05 a.m. Members present: Bretzke, McLachlan, Black and Long. Absent: Hartman and Smock. County Clerk Sandra Moore, present. There were others present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION:

—Agreed to begin as of this meeting to electronically record all Ways & Means, Personnel & Labor, Regular Board Meetings and Law Enforcement Meetings.

—Approved the Board minutes of Jan. 9, 1996.

—Accepted the correspondence as presented.

—Agreed to release to Milltown Title the County Indexes for the original bid of \$2,500.

—Accepted the following proposal for the Animal Shelter as presented: 1. Budget to allow the Sheriff the hiring of one full-time Animal Control Officer for enforcement, but no fewer than 20 hours to be used for animal control. 2. County budget to contract with the Animal Shelter of Crawford County Inc. to hire one part-time person for shelter duties, to feed, clean and associated humanitarian duties with the animals. 3. Terminate part-time contract Animal Control Officer Contract now existing. 4. Due to space constraints and proximity to direct the Crawford County Friends of Animals and Animal Shelter of Crawford County begin consideration of relocation process to a larger more rural and suitable location for their successful and increasingly demanded humanitarian operation.

—Agreed to enter into Michigan Justice Training Commission Registration for Act 302 Law Enforcement Distribution in the amount of \$3,500.

—Agreed to allow the Sheriff to obtain bids on the Vehicle Towing Contract to present before the board.

—Agreed to support the Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency, Inc., making the residents of Crawford County eligible for assistance when needed.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:15 a.m.
A full context of the meeting minutes are on file in the Clerk's Office.
Sandra Moore, County Clerk

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NOTICE ATTENTION DOG OWNERS BEGINNING MARCH 18, 1996

THE FEES FOR DOG LICENSES WILL DOUBLE
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FEES FOR SPAYED OR NEUTERED DOGS
WILL CHANGE FROM \$3.00 TO \$6.00

Licenses may be purchased from the Grayling Hospital for Animals, the Crawford County Animal Shelter, or the Crawford County Treasurer's Office. -7-14

Election Notice

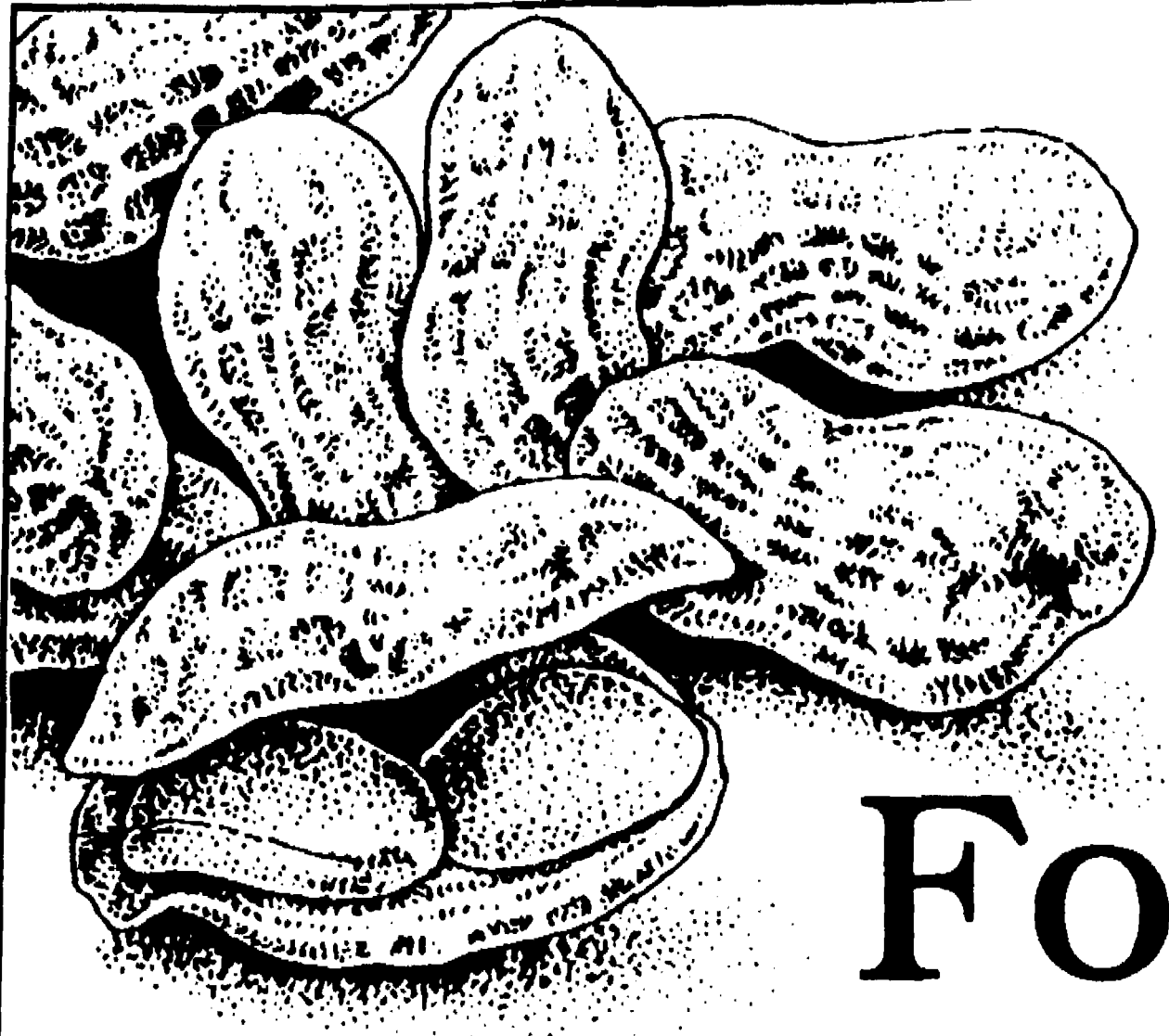
NOTICE OF PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO THE ELECTORS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY, MICHIGAN BEING HELD TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1996

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD IN ALL VOTING PRECINCTS IN THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1996.

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LOVELLS TOWNSHIP OFFICE	401	CHERYL HOPP
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